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WATER QUESTION IS LOOMING UP IN CITY COUNCILS
QUAY MAKES A REMARKABLE SPEECH IN THE SENATE

NEWS SUMMARY

WASHINGTON.

In a speech before the senate yesterday Senator Quay said that he believed in the exclusion of all foreign labor rather than the exclusion of the Chinese alone.—Page 1.

The original Chinese exclusion bill was defeated in the senate and the Platt substitute passed in its stead yesterday.—Page 1.

President-elect Palma of Cuba says his first message will urge peace between warring factions, the development of national resources and friendship with the United States.—Page 8.

FOREIGN.

Cardinals are active in their campaign to succeed Pope Leo.—Page 1.

Queen Wilhelmina of Holland is seriously ill from peritonitis.—Page 1.

The Philippine insurrection is completely subdued.—Page 3.

Two thousand Chinese troops are overpowered by rebels.—Page 3.

The British war loan has been subscribed 10 times, the Morgan syndicate taking one-half of the issue.—Page 3.

The English cabinet disagrees on the Boer peace proposals.—Page 3.

DOMESTIC.

John W. Gates, who engineered the Louisville & Nashville coup, said to have $1,000,000 invested in Fuller syndicate, which is bidding for the Western Maryland.—Page 8.

Senator M. S. Quay reiterates his determination to allow Allegheny county to manage its own political affairs.—Page 1.

Contest for seats holds up the Amalgamated association convention at Wheeling, W. Va.—Page 2.

PENNSYLVANIA.

State Chairman Creasy endeavors to promote Democratic harmony in Blair county.—Page 4.

The National guard will be obliged to use old guns for rifle practice.—Page 4.

The Beaver county Republican committee refuses to qualify Congressman Acheson's candidacy and returns his fee of $50.—Page 4.

LOCAL.

"Lohengrin" attracts the largest and most brilliant audience of the grand opera season to Duquesne garden. "Carmen," at the matinee, and the Wagnerian masterpiece at night were exceptionally well sung and staged.—Page 1.

Reform leaders of councils have declared their opposition to filtration, and it is said that no progress can be made with the work unless its cost is materially decreased.—Page 1.

Pittsburghers now control the greater part of the famous Thunder mountain gold district of Idaho. The Belle of Thunder Mining Company, at its meeting in this city yesterday, increased its capital stock from $1,000,000 to $3,000,000.—Page 1.

Steel brokers and railroads are tricking the rail pool. March pig iron production was 1,304,000 tons, far above that of January and February.—Page 9.

Report of committee on new possessions to executive committee of Alliance of Reformed and Presbyterian churches yesterday precipitated a hot discussion, in which it was asserted that the government was practically turning over all the children of Manila to Catholic teachings.—Page 9.

Five thousand families in the Twenty-first ward are cut off from all vehicle communication with the city, and are practically helpless in case of fire, the fault being placed on a desire of the city administration to punish the citizens of the ward for their anti-machine sentiment.—Page 2.

Annual meeting of the trustees of Carnegie institute developed a warm discussion over the proposed sites for the new polytechnic school.—Page 8.

Prayer meeting and dance ran in opposition last night, in a hall at Turtle creek, but the dancers won out, and the prayer-meeting had to move.—Page 1.

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Three appeals in Allegheny county cases argued in the superior court.—Page 10.

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SPORTING.

The winners at second day's races at Aqueduct were: Dacus, Fatalist, Examiner, Lucky Star, The Referee and Carding.—Page 10.

N. E. Young sends out his annual instructions to National league umpires.—Page 10.

Pirates begin their battle for another championship pennant at St. Louis today.—Page 10.

James J. Corbett has been matched to fight Champion Jeffries for heavyweight championship next September.—Page 10.

FINANCIAL.

Cereal prices decline at Chicago, wheat leading the break on reports of needed rains in Iowa.—Page 12.

Excitement in Southern railway in Wall street subsides somewhat and heavy liquidation ensues, the stock closing lower for the day.—Page 12.

Pittsburgh bank exchanges for yesterday were $181,000 smaller than for the same day last year.—Page 13.

The market on the Pittsburgh stock exchange yesterday was quite active, some sensational advances occurring.—Page 13.

The restlessness in Wall street over the Louisville & Nashville situation came to a sudden termination when it became known that the control is in the hands of J. P. Morgan & Co.—Page 12.

Ocean Steamship Movements.

Port.	Arrived.	Sailed.
Cherbourg	Patricia	
Rotterdam	Rotterdam	
Gibraltar	Calabria	
Southampton	Rhenania	
Bremen	Crefeld	
Shanghai	Ryojun	
Singapore		Ping Wo
Singapore	Pak Ling	Pak Ling
Hongkong	Empress of India	
Liverpool	Teutonic	
London	Nessia	
Suez	Ping suey	
Georgetown	Malachite	Ivernia
Mobile		Furnessia
New York		Mongolian
New York		Philadelphia
New York		Germanic
New York		Vaderland
New York		Carthagin
New York		Calatia
Boston	Pomeranian	

LEADERS ARE NOT IN FAVOR OF FILTRATION

Reform Councilmen Are for Pure Water from Out of Town.

SEE CHANGE IN SENTIMENT

Director McCandless' Figures on Probable Cost Are Held Responsible.

INDIAN CREEK PLAN IS BEING DISCUSSED

Advocates of Mountain Water Are Referring to the Investigations Made by Allen Hazen for the Filtration Commission—What the Expert Found Out.

Four reform leaders in councils are openly opposed to filtration. Others declare that the sentiment of the reform element is against the project in any form. All oppose going any further with filtration when the cost is estimated at $1,000,000 more than the city has to spend.

W. H. Stevenson of the Fourteenth ward, who began the movement for an investigation of the water supply; Christ J. Beckert, Jr., a well-known member of the common branch; James J. Booth, a reform leader in the select branch, and Dr. G. W. McNeil of the Twenty-first ward, who will be chairman of the committee on public works, discussed it yesterday.

Messrs. Beckert and Stevenson are opposed to filtration from beginning to end. Dr. McNeil is opposed to any further steps while such great expense is expected, and Mr. Booth favors sedimentation basins.

Sentiment Is Changing.

All of them are of the opinion that the sentiment regarding filtration is changing, and they fear that if the people are asked to vote another bond issue they will rebel. The question of a water supply is one that will be taken up early by the new councils.

Notice will be served on the machine administration that nothing shall be done with filtration until the cost is brought down to reasonable limits.

Mr. Beckert said yesterday: "I am opposed to filtration, and I have thought all the time that there was no necessity for putting up a plant that would cost millions of dollars, only to send the water through the present dirty and rotten pipes. I have seen 12-inch pipes with six and seven inches of dirt in them, and that would pollute the water no matter how pure it might be when it entered the pipes. The filtration plant is costing entirely too much.

Philadelphia an Example.

"Philadelphia is an example of what a city can spend and get nothing in return. It has expended millions and has very little to show for it.

"I favor going out of the city and piping in good water. It would not cost any more than the filtration plant, and when we get through with this we will have something to show for it. This city must have better water, but there is little business sense in accepting such a proposition as was made in the recent estimate of the public works department.

"The cost far exceeds anything that was expected. I hope to see councils go into this matter and look up the feasibility of getting water from some pure stream and piping it in here. The cost could scarcely be any greater, and when it is once secured we will have something to show for it."

An Out-of-town Supply.

Mr. Stevenson said:

"I do not desire to put my judgment up against that of men who understand this question and have studied it for years, but as a business proposition I see no necessity for spending over $3,000,000 for a filtration plant that will only live 40 years at the best.

"It seems to me that the city would do well to inquire into the question of going into the country for a pure water supply. It will cost some money, but when it is once established the expense will be over. I think that the question of a water supply is one with which the present councils will have a great deal to do, and one that will bear a great deal of study. There is no doubt that the people of Pittsburgh are entitled to better water than they are getting."

Thinks Cost Is Too Great.

Dr. McNeil said: "I think the filtration plant is costing too much money. I think that this could be done on a cheaper basis and I do not believe that councils will authorize the city administration to proceed until they scale down the cost of the plant. The stone wall, for instance, is a very expensive one. I think we could get along with a cheaper one. There are many other things that are costing more money than they need to cost, and I want to see all these scaled down. Then the estimate is appalling.

"Here we are, after working on the filtration idea for years. We find that we have not enough money by $1,000,000 to finish the plant. I see little use in asking the people to vote another bond issue. They will not do it. If the people want to spend all that money and will vote for it I suppose the thing to do is to go ahead.

Favors Plant at Reasonable Cost.

"I do not think, however, that the people want business done along that line. If filtration can be had at a reasonable cost let us have it. But it is costing too much under the present plans.

James J. Booth said: "The idea of filtration is all bad. The people have no idea what an immense expense it will be. Millions of dollars will be spent in building a plant, and it will cost an immense amount to maintain it. My own plans are to build additional reservoirs, so that the water can be purified by sedimentation. Sand filtration will not do in this town. With a flood like we had some time

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CARDINALS ARE ANXIOUS TO SUCCEED POPE LEO XIII

[ASSOCIATED PRESS CABLE TO THE GAZETTE.]

ROME, April 16.—The recent signs of the increased feebleness of the pope, which led, at the end of last week, to alarming reports of his sudden death, have caused a marked recrudescence of activity among the cardinals aspiring to the pontificate. The campaign preparatory to the next conclave proceeds incessantly, the sacred college being divided into two distinct forces, headed respectively by Cardinal Rampolla, the papal secretary of state, and Cardinal Vannutelli. The latter and Cardinal Gotti now constitute the most probable successors to Leo XIII.

Those who are not considered to be dangerous candidates are fond, however, of pointing out that almost 125 cardinals have been buried during the pontificate of Leo XIII., and that the prolongation of the life of his holiness for a few years is liable to cool, through death, many more ambitious calculations.

Archbishop Falconi, the papal delegate in Canada, has been definitely selected to succeed Cardinal Martinelli, the papal delegate to the United States. This appointment will not be officially announced, however, until the meeting of the consistory next October. It was felt that Archbishop Falconi's experience in Canada, his learning, his command of the English language, and his diplomatic abilities especially fitted him for the Washington post.

Traffic in tickets to the ceremonies at St. Peter's and the Sistine chapel, held in honor of the twenty-fourth anniversary of the pope's coronation, has assumed such proportions that it has developed into a veritable scandal. Americans and English people are the principal victimus of this traffic, and the bartering in tickets, of which from 50,000 to 60,000 are often issued for the ceremonies at St. Peter's, is carried on at all the principal hotels here by groups of speculators who are in league with the hotel employes.

Mgr. Bisleti is indignant at this scandal, and has spread broadcast notice that all tickets to pontificial ceremonies are absolutely gratuitous, and that everyone trying to sell such tickets must be regarded as a dishonest person.

Bourke Cockran of New York, who has just been received in audience by the pope, says he found the pontiff amazingly stronger than at his last audience, five years ago. The pope showed a wonderful memory, recollecting all the circumstances about his visitor and New York affairs, speaking with a firm voice.

From other sources it is learned that the pope expressed satisfaction over the new bonds of union between America and the Holy See from the mission of Gov. Taft and the settlement of the Philippines question.

PRAYER MEETING AND A DANCE IN THE SAME ROOM

Hymn Tunes and Strains of Orchestra Were Mingled.

AFTER CONTEST OF AN HOUR RAGTIME WON

Semmen's hall, Turtle Creek, last night was the scene of an inharmonious, though musical, conflict.

The melodious strains of an orchestra finally overpowered the voices of a colored congregation engaged in a prayer meeting. In vain did the preacher lift up his voice in exhortation and prayer for his "misguided white bredren an' sistern." The sweep of the dancers and the strains of ragtime where too much for his little flock, and they finally yielded the floor of the hall and their own attention to the pretty girls and stalwart lads who were enjoying the waltz and two-step as thoroughly as if no prayer meeting was in full blast in the same room.

A week ago the Daughters of Rebecca engaged the hall for a dance and were to have possession at 9 o'clock and keep it as long as they wanted to. Josiah Collette, who says he is a Frenchman, and a Baptist preacher, who is a negro, come along later and engaged the hall for a prayer meeting at 7 o'clock with the understanding that he and his followers vacate at 9 o'clock so the dancers could enjoy themselves.

The Conflict Began.

The prayer meeting was a little late in starting; not so the dancers. They were there in force, ready for the night's pleasure, promptly on the stroke of nine. For a few moments only was there a pause, in the hope that the preacher would give up the room and not court inevitable defeat. Mr. Collette, however, was in the midst of a powerful prayer, and the voices of his audience could be heard in fervent "Amen" and "Bless de Lawd."

The young fellows who were the guests at the dance did not feel like employing force to suppress a religious gathering, so they decided to use strategy. There was a clearing away of chairs in the rear of the room, and with a little preliminary tuning up, the orchestra swung boldly out in "A Georgia Camp-Meeting."

A Useless Effort.

Brother Collette listened for a few moments and then boldly essayed to drown out the orchestra with "Roll, Jordan, Roll." For an hour the conflict raged between the orchestra and the hymn-singers, but when the voices were already tired out by their competition, the leader of the string brigade completely routed his opponents, by starting that most ragged of all rag-times, "Ain't Dat a Shame."

With downcast mien the preacher led his little flock close along the side of the building, to avoid the circling dancers, and down upon the sidewalk, where they knelt and the leader poured out a most fervent prayer for the "salvation" of his late opponents.

Upstairs, however, the gayety of the dancers redoubled, and the orchestra responded with a paen of victory in the shape of "I Don't Care If You Never Come Back."

HOLLAND'S QUEEN IS SERIOUSLY ILL FROM PERITONITIS

Wilhelmina's Condition Is Growing Worse, With Increasing Temperature.

DOCTORS' CONSULTATION

[ASSOCIATED PRESS CABLE TO THE GAZETTE.]

London, April 16.—A special dispatch from Amsterdam says:

"Queen Wilhelmina's condition is hourly growing more serious. She is suffering from peritonitis."

This evening's official bulletin from The Hague, however, declares that, though the fever continues, the general condition of Wilhelmina is satisfactory.

Amsterdam, April 16.—The Handelsblad says Queen Wilhelmina is suffering from something more than a passing indisposition, and adds that there was another consultation today between the attending physicians and Prof. Roosenstein, the pathologist of Leyden university.

APPEAL TO CARNEGIE OPPOSED BY STONE

Says State of Missouri Can Supply a Library for State University

[BY ASSOCIATED PRESS TO THE GAZETTE.]

KANSAS CITY, April 16.—Ex-Gov. Stone said today he would oppose the plan of professors of the University of Missouri to ask Andrew Carnegie to build a new library at Columbia.

"Missouri is able to build university libraries," said the former governor. "I am opposed to any attempt to get Mr. Carnegie, Mr. Rockefeller or any other person of that class to give money for the state university. Missouri is able to do whatever is needed for its schools.

"I hope the professors who suggested that Andrew Carnegie be asked for funds for the university will be discharged at once."

LARGEST CROWD OF THE SEASON SEES LOHENGRIN

Hundreds Found No Place of Comfort at Duquesne Garden.

CARRIAGES LINED THE STREETS

Audience Was in Excellent Humor and Applauded Enthusiastically.

TERNINA GIVEN FINE FLORAL REMEMBRANCE

Her Fellow-Countrymen, the Croatians, Send Her a Huge Fabric of Roses, Surmounted by the Flags of Their Native Land and of the United States.

The largest and most brilliant audience of the opera season gathered in Duquesne garden last night to hear Wagner's "Lohengrin." Formerly the greater part of the operas given were Wagner's, but this season other composers are given prominent place.

The crowd started to arrive early in the evening. Plans for getting the people in without commotion were perfect, and as the carriages rolled up to the door they were stopped at three places, unloaded and sent right on. On every street for squares around their lights gleamed all evening.

Yesterday afternoon the audience was the largest of the season, but it only held the record a little while, as by evening the auditorium was filled.

No Vacant Seats Visible.

From the boxes back to the palm garden there did not appear to be a vacant seat, and along the railing near the wall hundreds of people stood, while behind the seats the spectators stood four or five deep. Every window along the walls had people in it. Others stood on chairs near the back of the room.

The audience was brilliant, men immaculate in their evening clothes, and women wearing superb gowns. There were some splendid costumes, and between acts ten palm garden was crowded with their fair wearers.

Tuesday evening saw the setting of this fashion between the acts. Yesterday afternoon the palm garden was well filled, but last night it was well-nigh impossible to get around at all, there were so many

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SENATOR QUAY WOULD NOT SHUT OUT CHINESE ALONE

[SPECIAL TELEGRAM TO THE GAZETTE.]

WASHINGTON, D. C., April 16.—Senator Quay's speech on the Chinese exclusion bill was as follows: "I have a deep respect for the Chinese nation, for its antiquity, intelligence, patriotism and exclusiveness. Its history reaches farther back into the past than that of any other nation. Its great families have genealogies of thousands of years, well authenticated and surpassed in duration only by a very few among the Hebrews. It invented gunpowder, the mariner's compass, the manufacture of procelain and silk, and China was the mother of philosophy and the higher mathematics.

"Its ruler, the present empress dowager, who during 50 years, since she was 18 years of age has dominated its policy and governed 400,000,000 of people, is the greatest woman born in Asia for many centuries. I regret that China has become obnoxious in the circles of American politics on account of her barbarism and the low condition of her laboring classes. The organization known as the 'Boxers' is the offspring of patriotism. Its underlying idea is the theory of this bill. 'Exclude the foreign devils—China for the Chinese,' cries the Chinese 'Boxer.'

"'Exclude the Chinese—America for the Americans,' says my distinguished colleague, the chairman of the committee on immigration, and, to a large extent, I coincide with him. If he will strike out the word 'Chinese' in the first paragraph of this bill and add to it the words: 'During the term of five years,' making it exclude all importation of labor, I could adopt its eccentricities and vote for it panicky and tumultuous as it is.

"I cannot approve of the segregation of China from the world as the object of a commercial hostility. I cannot conceive of the propriety of excluding Chinese labor and opening our ports to all the ringstraked, speckled and spotted importation of Asia and Africa, nor why a Tartar living on the left bank of the Amur river should come free into this country and the Tartar on the right bank should not.

"We have labor enough in this country now for general purposes. It is our surplus labor which, in hard times, brings down wages and produces distress and disorder. We are short in agricultural labor. But for improved machinery we could not harvest our crops. The want of domestic servants has also become a great and vexatious problem. These classes compete with no American labor, and might well be excepted in this bill.

"But our laboring people in Pennsylvania have become inbued with the idea that they are threatened with a flood of competing Chinese labor, and with no other competition, and I feel like deferring to some extent to their wishes in this legislation. They favor the house bill. I cannot go with them to that extent, and I do not recognize the house bill in the mutilated measure now about to be voted upon."

PITTSBURGHERS OWN GREAT PART OF THUNDER MOUNTAIN

Local Capital Is Heavily Invested in the Now Famous Gold Fields of Idaho.

COMPANY TRIPLES CAPITAL

Pittsburghers have purchased the major portion of the now famous Thunder mountain gold mining property in Idaho. The Belle of Thunder Mountain Mining Company yesterday reorganized at its Pittsburgh headquarters, Times building, and the shareholders voted to increase the capital from $1,000,000 to $3,000,000. This is to provide for the purchase of nine additional claims adjoining the eleven already held by the company. For these properties, undeveloped except in one instance, the company is paying $500,000.

Other Pittsburghers own nearly 100 claims in the district. They have made actual investments of more than $700,000. The property yields from $2 to as high as $4,000 a ton.

QUAY HAS NO REPRESENTATIVE IN THIS COUNTY

Thinks State of Allegheny Can Manage Her Own Affairs.

DALZELL MAY LEAD STATE DELEGATION

THE PITTSBURGH GAZETTE BUREAU,
603 Fifteenth St., N. W.,
WASHINGTON, D. C., April 16.

Senator Quay said this evening that he had no representative in Allegheny county. He had neither the desire nor power to influence local results. He still held to the belief that he had expressed once before, that the Republicans of Allegheny county were fully competent to manage for themselves.

This was the senator's reply to an inquiry of mine, and in order that there might be no misunderstanding he wrote out on paper the paragraph as it appears at the head of this dispatch. The senator's reason for this public announcement is to set at rest the fears of some of his friends who have been told that the senator desired this thing or that thing to be done. He wishes it distinctly understood that he is not interfering in the local politics of Allegheny county and that no one has authority to act for him in the matter. He is looking after the state contest, and until that is harmoniously settled he has no time for other political matters.

Will Visit Philadelphia.

Having outlined his plans for a harmonious state convention the senator is now looking after the details and tomorrow morning will go to Philadelphia to see some of the local leaders and also visit his daughter, Miss Coral, who is convalescing at the hospital of the University of Pennsylvania. Before he returns he may visit his Lancaster county farm at Mountville, and other points in the state.

Among the senator's callers today were Recorder Von Bonnhorst and County Commissioner Murray of Allegheny county. The trio, with Representative Acheson, had quite a lengthy conference during which Messrs. Von Bonnhorst and Murray assured the senator that the Allegheny county Republicans would go along loyally with him in the state contest and that the delegation would not only be anti-Elkin but might have as its chairman Representative Dalzell.

Recognition for Dalzell.

The trio urged the senator to recognize Mr. Dalzell in the convention in a substantial manner, and if he was willing to have him make the speech nominating the candidate for governor, who is then agreed upon by the leaders. In reply the senator spoke in cordial terms of Mr. Dalzell and his well-known ability, and promised his callers to give Mr. Dalzell due recognition.

Messrs. Von Bonnhorst and Murray earlier in the day had a conference with Representatives Dalzell and Acheson, and said that their visit here was to see about the establishment of rural delivery of mail routes in Fayette and Moon townships, Allegheny county. In reply to the question that I asked them regarding the complexion of the Allegheny county delegates to the state convention, Mr. Von Bonnhorst said:

Von Bonnhorst's Statement.

"The delegates from Allegheny county to the Republican state convention in June will not be instructed for the nomination of John P. Elkin for governor. The delegation will be composed of loyal Republicans, will be uninstructed and will go to the convention to work in harmony with the leaders and with the intention of selecting a strong and popular ticket. If Representative Dalzell will agree I am in favor of selecting him as chairman of the delegation, and I hope that he will be chosen to make the speech nominating the candidate agreed upon for governor. We will have a harmonious state convention and will select a ticket that will carry the state by an overwhelming majority."

CHARLES W. METZGAR.

EXCLUSION ACT PASSED SENATE IN MILDER FORM

Drastic Bill Framed by Western Members Moderated.

SENATOR QUAY BREAKS SILENCE

Offers Amendment to Exempt Christians and Those Who Aided Us in War.

WOULD KEEP OUT ALL FOREIGN LABOR

The Bill as Finally Passed Practically Reaffirms the Present Law and Extends It to Include All of Our New Insular Possessions.

THE PITTSBURGH GAZETTE BUREAU,
603 Fifteenth St., N. W.,
WASHINGTON, D. C., April 16.

By a vote of 48 to 33 in the senate today the Platt substitute took the place of the drastic Chinese exclusion bill, originally framed by the senators and representatives from the Pacific coast states, and the substitute was finally passed by a vote of 76 to 1, Senator Hoar of Massachusetts being the only one to vote in the negative.

The substitute exclusion bill, which was offered by Senator Platt of Connecticut, retains the main features of the present exclusion law and also applies that exclusion to all insular territory under the jurisdiction of the United States. The friends of the substitute prevented any material change in its features, but some minor alterations were made, admitting Chinese persons connected with national expositions, and providing for certificates of identification of Chinese in our insular possessions.

The Sphinx Broke Silence.

Just before the senate commenced to vote on the amendments to the Chinese exclusion bill Senator Quay took the floor and asked how much time he would be allowed in speaking upon an amendment he would offer for the admission of Christianized Chinamen.

"I do not want to make a speech in the usual acceptation of the term," he said, "as that practice I am content to leave to the senior wranglers of the senate, being entirely satisfied to sit at their feet while they explain the mysteries of legislation."

He then proposed an amendment that the exclusion shall not apply to "Chinese Christians, or Chinese who assisted in the defense or relief of the foreign legations or the Pei-Tang cathedral in Peking in 1900.

Quay Amendment Lost.

Mr. Dolliver of Iowa referred in glowing terms to the heroism of Minister and Mrs. Conger, residents of Iowa, during the seige of Peking and expressed the belief that some adequate recognition should be given by this government to those who aided the American legationers during those days of peril.

That part of Mr. Quay's amendment admitting Chinese Christians was lost without division, and on an aye and no vote the admission of Chinese soldiers who assisted Americans during the seige of Peking was defeated, 7 to 68.

Mr. Platt of Connecticut then offered his substitute extending the present law. He said the United States was committed to the policy of exclusion.

Original Bill Offensive.

He insisted, however, that the pending bill was unnecessary. It was offensive to China at a time when we sought her good will and it improperly enacted treasury regulations as law.

After several amendments were proposed the decisive vote was taken on the substitute proposed by Mr. Platt of Connecticut extending the present exclusion laws, and this prevailed, 48 to 33, as follows:

Yeas—Allison, Beveridge, Blackburn, Burnham, Burrows, Burton, Clapp, Clark (Wyo.), Cockrell, Cullom, Dolph, Dietrich, Gallinger, Dolliver, Elkins, Foraker, Frye, Gallinger, Gamble, Gibson, Hale, Hanna, Hansbrough, Hawley, Hoar, Kean, Kearns, Kittredge, McComas, McCumber, McLaurin (S. C.), McMillan, Millard, Morgan, Nelson, Pettus, Platt (Conn.), Platt (N. Y.), Pritchard, Proctor, Quarles, Quay, Scott, Spooner, Stewart, Warren, Wellington, Wetmore.—48.

Nays—Bacon, Bailey, Baird, Bate, Berry, Carmack, Clark (Mont.), Daly, Culberson, Fairbanks, Foster (La.), Foster (Wash.), Harris, Heitfeld, Jones (Ark.), Jones (Nev.), Lodge, McLaurin (Miss.), Mallory, Martin, Mitchell, Money, Patterson, Penrose, Perkins, Rawlins, Simmons, Simon, Taliaferro, Teller, Tillman, Turner, Vest.—33.

The substitute was further perfected by an amendment proposed by Mr. Mitchell providing the judicial procedure in exclusion cases in our insular possessions.

Senator Hoar's Protest.

Before the final vote was taken on the passage of the substitute bill Mr. Hoar gave notice that he would vote against the measure and he made an earnest protest against the principle of exclusion. He believed that everything in the way of exclusion could be accomplished without involving the principle of striking at a particular class or race. Holding as he did that every soul had its rights and that these rights were not dependent on color or race, he recorded his protest against this measure.

The bill then was passed, 76 to 1, Mr. Hoar being the only one recording himself in the negative.

Text of the Platt Substitute.

The Platt amendment to the Chinese exclusion bill is a substitute for the entire bill. As it was voted upon the amendment reads:

That all laws now in force prohibiting and regulating the coming Chinese persons and persons of Chinese descent into the United States, and the residence of such persons therein, be and the same are hereby extended and continued, including the act entitled "An act to prohibit the coming of Chinese laborers to the United States," approved September 13, 1888, so far as the same is not inconsistent with treaty obligations now existing, in full

THE STARS OF YESTERDAY'S OPERA PERFORMANCES

1—Mme. Calve, as Carmen. 2—Albert Alvarez, who sang the role of Don Jose in "Carmen." 3—Miss Milka Ternina, who sang Elsa in "Lohengrin." 4—Mme. Schumann-Heink, as Ortrud in "Lohengrin." 5—Albert Van Dyck as Lohengrin.

and effect until the 7th day of December, 1, and so long as the treaty between China d the United States concluded on March 17, 894, and proclaimed by the president on the 5th of December, 1894, shall continue in force, and said laws shall apply to all territory under the jurisdiction of the United States, and to all immigration of Chinese laborers from the islands to the mainland territory of the United States or from one portion of the island territory of the United States to another portion of said island territory, provided, however, that this shall not apply to the transit of Chinese laborers from an island to another island of the same group or to any islands within the jurisdiction of any state or of the district of Alaska.

Section 2—That in case said treaty be terminated as provided in article 4 thereof, this act and the acts hereby extended and continued shall remain in force until there shall be concluded between the United States and China a new treaty respecting the coming of Chinese persons into the United States and until appropriate laws shall be passed to carry into effect the provisions thereof.

Section 3—That the secretary of the treasury is hereby authorized and empowered to make and enforce, subject to the approval of the president, such rules and regulations as he may deem necessary and proper to execute the provisions of this act, and of the acts hereby extended and continued and of said treaty of December 8, 1894, and with the approval of the president to appoint such agents as he may deem necessary for the efficient execution of said treaty and said acts.

DALZELL WOULD BE A WELCOME DELEGATE

Participation of Such Men in State Convention Would Have a Wholesome Effect.

[SPECIAL TELEGRAM TO THE GAZETTE.]

PHILADELPHIA, PA., April 16.—Under the caption: "A Representative Convention," the Press will tomorrow morning print the following editorial:

"The suggestion is made that Congressman Dalzell should be sent as a delegate to the state convention and should take an active part in its deliberations. If this is practicable without compromising his position it is well worthy of consideration. The Allegheny situation is mixed and uncertain. Mr. Dalzell, who holds an assured place in the popular esteem far above all factions, might well hesitate to descend into any factional arena. On the other hand, all elements of the party might well agree in sending him in his representative capacity without regard to his affiliations.

"The thought which inspires such a suggestion is worthy of further expansion. Why not make the state convention an assemblage broadly representative of the Republicanism of Pennsylvania? Why not send not only Mr. Dalzell, but more men of the same stamp, from both the regular and the more independent element of the party? If the present indications are followed the convention is to be a deliberative body, which shall seek a nomination which shall be acceptable to all Republicans and which any Republican can act with self-respect and honor. It may be under a dominant influence, but if that influence means to be guided to the end by the spirit which prompted the recent declaration against Mr. Elkin, if the purpose is to seek a nomination on which all can harmonize, there is no reason why any Republican must not participate."

ALLEGHENY COUNCIL MEETING WAS LIVELY

Select Branch Enlivens Its Sessions by Passage of Two Hard-Fought Measures.

The regular monthly meeting of Allegheny select council yesterday afternoon was lively from beginning to end. One of its features was Peter Born's successful fight to have the increased salaries of the employes of the bureau of police start June 1, 1902, instead of March, 1903. Another incident of interest was Morris Einstein's strategy in securing the passage of the ordinance appropriating $3,000 to the Presbyterian hospital for building purposes. During the debate on this City Solicitor Charles P. Lang gave a verbal opinion that the appropriations of $10,000 to the Allegheny General hospital, $5,000 to St. John's General hospital and $3,000 to the Presbyterian hospital cannot be made legally.

DR. TALMAGE BURIED.

The Body of the Eloquent Minister Placed in a Grave in Brooklyn Yesterday.

NEW YORK, April 16.—(Special.)—To rest in the city where he did the greatest part of his conspicuous work, and where he gained world-wide fame as a great preacher, the body of T. De Witt Talmage was brought from Washington last night, and this morning was buried in Greenwood. Between his two dead wives and near the 20-year-old son the world-renowned minister now lies, his eloquent tongue silenced forever.

The crowd began gathering at the Talmage plot in the cemetery shortly before 9 o'clock this morning. Between 300 and 400 persons had reached there when the funeral cortege arrived a few minutes past 10 o'clock.

The Episcopal burial service was read at the grave. Preceding this service the Rev. Dr. Howard Suydam, who officiated, made a brief address.

THE WEATHER.

Time of sunrise today ..... 5:21 a. m.
Time of sunset today ..... 6:39 p. m.
Daily report for yesterday furnished by United States weather bureau:

Time.	Bar.	Temp.	Hum.	Wind.	Weather.
8 a. m.	30.04	45	68	S.	Cloudy.
8 p. m.	29.94	50	74	S.E.	Rain.

Comparative temperature and precipitation for six years:

Temperature.	1901	1900	1899	1898	1897	1896
Maximum	66	76	86	66	56	53
Minimum	41	47	34	43	45	31
Mean	54	62	60	54	50	42
Precipitation	0	0	.28	.74	T.	0

Maximum temperature (12 hours)	56
Minimum temperature (8 a. m.)	42
Mean temperature	48
Normal temperature (for 31 years)	51
Deficiency in temperature for the day	3
Deficiency in temperature since April 1	75
Deficiency in temperature since January 1	97
Normal precipitation (for 31 years)	.69
Precipitation for the day	.01
Deficiency in precipitation for the day	.68
Excess in precipitation since first month	.61
Deficiency in precipitation since January 1	1.00

Government Weather Report.

WASHINGTON, D. C., April 16.—Forecast: Western Pennsylvania and West Virginia—Showers, followed by fair Thursday. Friday fair; high south winds, becoming west.

Ohio—Fair in west, clearing in east portion Thursday. Friday fair; light, variable winds.

Observations taken at weather bureau stations at 8 p. m.

Pittsburg	50 Rain	Grand Haven	40 Cloudy
Cincinnati	54 Clear	El Paso	78 Cloudy
Parkersburg	44 Cloudy	Jacksonville	60 Clear
Louisville	56 Clear	New York	46 Clear
Washington	50 Cloudy	Buffalo	42 Cloudy
Oklahoma	58 Clear	Cleveland	44 PtCldy
Columbus	52 Cloudy	Philadelphia	50 Clear
Chicago	42 Cloudy	Marquette	38 Cloudy
Des Moines	54 Clear	Duluth	32 Cloudy
St. Louis	58 Cloudy	St. Paul	38 PtCldy
Cairo	58 Clear	Detroit	38 Clear
Kansas City	58 Pt Cldy	Escanaba	36 Clear
Atlanta	58 PtCldy	Helena	00 Cloudy
Louisville	56 Cloudy	New Orleans	70 Clear
Memphis	62 Rain	Montgomery	68 Clear
Chattanooga	62 Cloudy	Norfolk	40 Clear
Vicksburg	72 Cloudy	Havre	62 Cloudy

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LARGEST CROWD OF THE SEASON SEES LOHENGRIN

Continued from First Page.

people. Many men stayed at tables in the palm garden during the opera.

Refreshments Hard to Get.

Between the second and third acts many sought refreshments long after the bell rang and the act was started.

The Grau company has been improved mightily since it was here last spring. In former years scenery and chorus were ragged, but this year all is changed. Many of the scenes in "Lohengrin" were splendid stage pictures, with fitting scenery and warlike costumes. The chorus did excellent work.

The audience was very appreciative and enthusiastic. Conductor Walter Damrosch and his musicians were given a hearty ovation after the overture was played, and from that time on the audience was ever ready with a generous hand. When Mr. Van Dyck made his appearance in the swan boat he was applauded to the echo, and after the quintet sang just before the quarrel the audience broke loose again.

Ternina Gracefully Remembered.

At the close of the first act Miss Ternina was presented with a huge floral piece by her fellow countrymen, the Croatians. The flags of the United States and Croatia, draped, were surmounted by a profusion of red and white roses. The piece stood more than six feet high, and several men had difficulty getting in it on to the stage. Later in the evening it was taken back near the door, where the audience had an opportunity to see it.

The intermissions between acts were long, which helped to keep the opera late. It was well onto midnight before it was over, and before that time quite a number of people had left. The Westinghouse reception, which was to start at 10 o'clock, took a number of people away. Many of them left at the close of the second act, and others during the progress of the last act.

Only One Change in Cast.

There was only one change in the cast last night, and that was not among the principals. Mr. Muhlman, who was to have sung the part of the Herald, was ill and Mr. Dufriche assumed the role. The cast was excellent and was interesting to Pittsburghers who had heard "Lohengrin" here before, on account of the title role. Mr. Van Dyck assumed the role last night, while before Jean de Reszke sang it.

The disagreeable weather for a time last night did not seem to have any effect at all upon the gowning of the women. Silks and satins and laces, all sparkling with jewels, made a brilliant sight under the ground glass shades of the lights. During the opera almost all the lights in the auditorium were turned out and only came on again at the intermissions, showing the stunning gowns on all sides.

CALVE SURPASSES HERSELF AS CARMEN

Splendid Presentation of Bizet's Opera Given at Only Matinee of Grand Opera Season.

Yesterday was an especially brilliant day, operatically speaking, presenting for matinee Calve's matchless performance of "Carmen" and giving in the evening that opera of Wagner's which is nearest and dearest the popular heart.

Of "Carmen," naught may be said that has not been said before and repeatedly, in every city where it has been given, though at each new seeing some new subtlety of Calve's impersonation must be noted, some new beauty grasped. In the memory of at least the present generation there has been no Carmen who even approached hers.

A child of nature, soaring above and beyond restraint, a child of liberty, holding thus possession dearest of all, a coquette by the grace of God, as it were—this was Carmen, both in the novel which first presented her to the world and in Bizet's opera. How seldom this characterization is given even by singers, whose vocal merit entitles them to rank among the highest, may be proven by the generally false conception of the character resident in the public mind. Not one, save Calve, and in a lesser degree, Emma Juch, has penetrated beyond the surface glitter of Carmen's nature. Invariably the witchery of her action has been degraded to evil, the sensuous note of her nature emphasized beyond all else, and the real beauty of the spirit that animated her lost.

Not so with Calve, however. In her every action is shown an understanding of the nature she portrays. Her Carmen is a fascinating, winsome thing, one which might bring tears, perhaps, admiration surely, but condemnation never.

One is irresistibly led to the belief that Calve herself has some of the wild Carmen blood in her veins—coquetry that varies from the playful grace of a child to the lissome passion of the woman, a daring that snaps fingers at death, a truth that scorns deceivings, even for life's sake, and above all, the necessity for uncramping space, so that the wings may spread unfettered and liberty be always present and visible, and all so vividly portrayed that the inspiration must come from a deeper source than mere stage acumen.

The cast yesterday gave this loveliest of Carmens a support so splendidly adequate that the performance, from the most conservative standpoint may be termed perfect.

Such a Don Jose as Alvarez is seen not more than once in a generation, where voice of rich timbre, magnetic presence and the very height of artistic action are combined. For the first time in many years, the role was presented in its due importance and prominence, a worthy companion for the figure of Calve's Carmen.

Scotti, as Escamillo, is too well known in Pittsburgh to need more than the mere announcement of his presence to insure the splendid taking of the role, and Marilo as Micaela fitted admirably into the quartet of principals.

All the incidental action, with the complete ballets and all of the active smugglers' scene, seldom given, were presented yesterday, making all in all a rarely beautiful rendition and one which will be long remembered by those who saw it with real delight.

GERMAN STARS SANG WITH FINE EFFECT

Last Night's "Lohengrin" Fell Not Short of Any Ever Given in This Country.

For the cast of "Lohengrin" last night, the stars of the German contingent of the company were brought forth, with the result that fell not short of any "Lohengrin" ever given in this country.

Van Dyck, the great Viennese tenor, who sang Lohengrin, was in splendid voice, infinitely better than on former appearances in Pittsburgh, and his interpretation of the mystic knight of Wagner's fancy, was powerfully effective. In the opening scene with Elsa, and later in his combat with Telramund, he struck a note of energy that vibrated throughout the evening, giving a more inspiring air to this opera, than any which had gone before and setting a high mark for the singers of tonight to touch.

In dignity of action, no less than in beauty of singing, did he fill, admirably, the requirements of the role, giving all in all an eminently satisfactory picture of this most noble or operatic figures.

Milka Ternina, who sent conviction of her power home to every listener in her personation of Isolde, last year, was the Elsa and filled this widely different role no less beautifully than the former. Like Van Dyck, her voice seemed especially pure and strong, and the marked beauty of her conception of Elsa's character was apparent throughout the evening.

No more beautiful picture could be conceived than that afforded by the bridal procession entering the cathedral, after the tumultuous Ortud had been silenced, and Telramund banished, and this beauty, surpassing any offered in previous renditions of the opera, was due entirely to the careful art employed by the principals in the progress of their action and singing.

Edouard de Reszke, as the king, presented the same noble figure that he gives in each of his Wagner characterizations, fitting the role physically, vocally and surely temperamentally, else such harmony of presentation were impossible.

Mme. Schumann-Heink, whose magnificent rendition of Ortud is familiar to Wagner lovers all over the country, also seemed especially convincing last night, probably because of the excellence of the others, and she was given splendid support by Ruton Van Rooy, who sang Telramund. More roughly hewn and consequently far more impressive, is Van Rooy's conception of this character than those with which we have grown familiar, and despite due credit awarded to others who have sung the part, it seems that this conception must be more nearly true to Wagner's ideal than the more polished but less forceful ones of past years. Telramund was not subtle—his left that for Ortud. He was brutal in hope, splendid even in despair, and altogether a colossal figure, plucked bodily from that band of giants whereto Wagner went for his characters. And in such giant guise Van Rooy presented him, vocally and in action, adding no little to the ultimate effect of the opera.

Owing to the indisposition of Mr. Muhlmann, who was cast for the Herald, Mr. Dufriche took this role and most acceptably, giving clearly and with unction the messages which fell to his lot.

Under Walter Damrosch the orchestra was again at its best, seeming to respond con amore to his energy and giving the noble music with spirit and understanding throughout, and contributing to the formation of the impression of notable brilliance, which was apparent all through the opera.

RARE TREAT BILLED FOR THIS EVENING

"The Marriage of Figaro" Will Be Presented Here for the First Time in Many Years.

Tonight for the last night of the grand opera one of the greatest of old classic operas has been chosen. "The Marriage of Figaro," which has not been given here in the memory of the present generation, is Mozart's greatest opera, and the complicated action brought about by a jealous husband, a coquettish maid with her gay betrothed, a love-lorn page and a host of other attendant characters, he has given a musical setting unsurpassed among his compositions for richness and beauty.

All the delicate airs and graces which are the distinguishing mark of a Mozartean score are to be found in plenty in the music of Figaro, and despite the comedy of the action there is an underlying dignity in the orchestration which serves to place this opera among the very highest of the old school.

The story, which is built on the intrigue and mystification common in stories of Italian families, has for its central figure Figaro, betrothed to Susanna. Susanna's mistress, the countess, is suspected by her husband of an intrigue with Cherubino, a page, and although the count himself, after the manner of counts, has none too fair a shield to show, he is enraged beyond measure at the suspected faithlessness of his spouse and provides vengeance dire for her supposed lover. Cherubino really is devoted to the countess, and after a series of laughable mishaps is sent to war by the count. Susanna, who is all the time endeavoring to escape the unwelcome attentions of the count, and Figaro, her lover, who is beset by troubles of his own by interference, bring about complications which cause a merry state of misunderstandings throughout. Finally all is cleared up, the count's faith in his countess is revived, Figaro and Susanna are wedded and the curtain falls on a scene of general bliss.

In the story itself there is very little to hold the memory, but the music has invested it with an undying brilliancy which gives it practically chief place among the operas of this year's engagement.

During the present New York season the performance of "The Marriage of Figaro" aroused the greatest enthusiasm and is admitted to be the ideal presentation of the opera. There is every reason why this verdict is just: Two of the greatest sopranos of the period will appear and in parts perfectly suited to them, and in addition an admirable singer will be heard in the delicious part of Cherubino, the page. The title part of Figaro will be taken by Mr. Campanari, whose ability in action and in song has its fullest scope in this opera. In addition the king of basses, Mr. Edouard de Reszke, will sing "Il Conte."

The attendance promises to be unprecedented in the history of Pittsburgh grand opera. All are asked to arrive at Duquesne garden as early as possible. The complete cast is as follows:

La Contessa	Mme. Emma Eames
Cherubino	Mme. Camille Seygard
Marcellina	Miss Tavernelater
Susanna	Mme. Sembrich
Il Conte	Mr. Edouard de Reszke
Bartolo	Mr. Gilbert
Antonio	Mr. Dufriche
Basilio	Mr. Reiss
Don Curzio	Mr. Maestri
Figaro	Mr. Campanari

Conductor—Mr. Seppilli.

TODAY'S AMUSEMENTS.

ALVIN—Miss May Irwin in "The Widow Jones," 8:15 p. m.
GRAND—The Stock Company in "The Christian," 2:15 and 8:15 p. m.
BIJOU—"Rangers of Paris," 8:15 p. m.
EMPIRE—"Human Hearts," 8:15 p. m.
DUQUESNE—Vaudeville, 2:15 and 8:15 p. m.
ACADEMY—"World Beaters," 2 and 8 p. m.
DUQUESNE GARDEN—Maurice Grau Metropolitan Opera Company in "The Marriage of Figaro," 8 p. m.

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RULES OF VOTING CONTEST.

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CONTESTED SEATS DELAY CONVENTION

AMALGAMATED MEETING HELD UP BY CREDENTIAL FIGHT.

Delinquent Lodges Making a Strong Effort to Get a Representation in the Councils of the Association at Wheeling—Strike at East Liverpool.

[BY ASSOCIATED PRESS TO THE GAZETTE.]

WHEELING, W. VA., April 16.—In the convention of Amalgamated Association of Iron, Steel and Tin Workers the credentials committee labored all day and was unable to report. The convention cannot proceed with its work until its membership has been definitely decided upon. It is possible that the committee may make a partial report tomorrow, sufficient to allow the convention to proceed.

The contested seat committee was in session practically the entire day. All interest in the convention now centers in its work, for its decision will be indicative of the attitude the convention will assume regarding the policy of the executive officers during and after last year's strike.

The bulk of the work before the committee is consideration of lodges which failed to pay the three assessments declared by the executive board shortly after the strike had been declared off. Many lodges refused to pay, raising constitutional objections, and are now clamoring for admission to the convention.

It is hardly likely that President Shaffer would have made the assessments without the backing of the board, though a mistaken impression seems to prevail among some members that he ordered the assessments himself. In fact, some of them refer to the matter as "Shaffer's assessments."

It is reported late tonight that the report of the contested seats committee will be neither a vindication of nor a slap at the national officers. One-fourth of the lodges refused to pay and the association, it is said, cannot afford to alienate so large a following.

EAST LIVERPOOL, O., April 16.—Three hundred men at the Chester tin mill struck today about a dissatisfaction with the new scale offered by the American Sheet Steel Company, which was to go into effect today. The men were expecting the Amalgamated scale. Instead they claim one was offered which cut their wages one-third.

Big Furnace Planned.

CLEVELAND, O., April 16.—It is reported here that Rogers, Brown & Co. of Cincinnati, with S. W. Croxton and several other Cleveland men, have organized a company to build a blast furnace in this city to cost $1,000,000 and to be known as the Cleveland Furnace Company. The furnace will have a capacity of 400 tons a day. D. B. Meacham of Rogers, Brown & Co. is the president; Archer Brown, William G. Park and J. G. Battelle, New York; D. B. Meacham and S. W. Croxton will comprise the board of directors.

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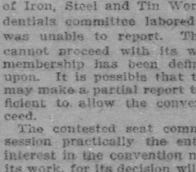

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Last week we bought 485 pairs of Ruffled Muslin Curtains with colored border. They were offered us at a price far below the usual. You will find them such curtains as sell for $1.50, $1.75 and $2 a pair. We are going to sell them for $1 a pair today.

We owe it to you to say that the manufacturer only shipped us 158 pairs, and as we have had no word about the remainder it is questionable whether we get the balance of the order. 158 pairs are only a handful, you know.

In Lace Curtains we have Nottinghams in many new and effective designs from 50c to $8 a pair; Irish Pointes, from $5 to $23, and Renaissance Curtains from $4 to $50 a pair; the beautiful Marie Antoinettes, $7 to $18; the Point de Arabes, $5 to $12, and the rich Arabians, beyond any curtain style of beauty, $12.50 to $100 a pair. Each and all in the most sumptuous assortments.

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Your mortgages, insurance policies, your keepsakes and your jewelry?

That's the amount it will take to protect them from fire, water and smoke—the price of

Mellink's Fire and Water-Proof Vaults.

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They are portable and ornamental—absolutely fire and water proof. So guaranteed.

Constructed of heavy iron frames, covered with steel plates, solid steel hinges, combination screw, four tumbler locks—same as used in safe deposit vaults.

The screw draws door tightly against rubber gasket, making it absolutely waterproof.

It is worth investigating—the slight outlay might save you thousands of dollars.

Three sizes—$8, $11, $15.

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Piano Players will surely be sold by us this year. Our gigantic scheme of monthly payments will place them everywhere; for the Apollo success is so complete, so triumphant, that all competition is crushed; there is a veritable stampede for the Apollo. Our competitors show a list of buyers of other players, their last remaining argument of extreme weakness, for how could anyone indorse the superiority of the electric light over gaslight before the electric light was discovered?

PLAY ON EACH PLAYER YOURSELF; that's the way to learn all about the question.

For Sale — Two slightly used Pianolas.

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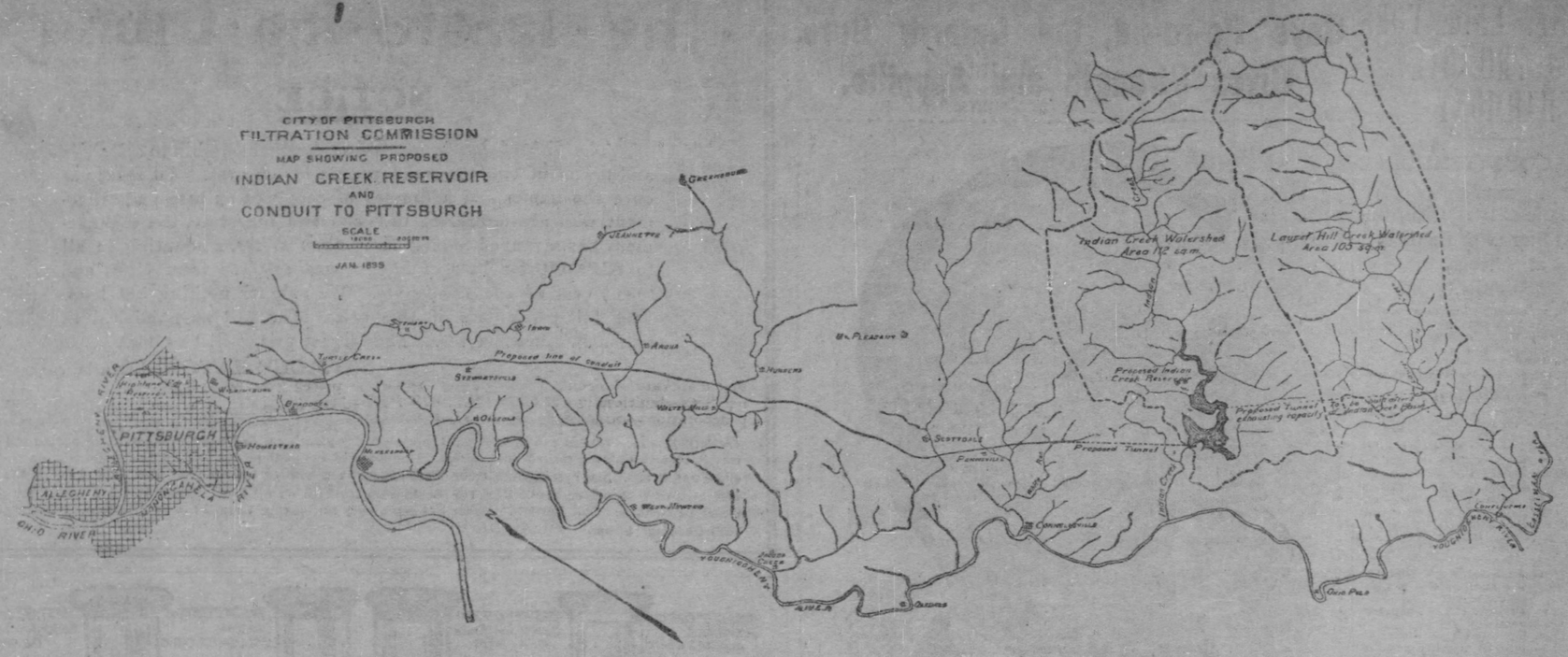

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ago the sand would be filled with mud in 24 hours, and would have to be changed constantly. With reservoirs the water could settle, and in my mind be purer and better, and when it became necessary the reservoirs could be cleaned out."

Col. Roberts' Plan.

Col. T. P. Roberts, assistant engineer in the United States engineer's office, has given the water supply of the city much study and he greatly favors the plan of taking the water from mountain streams and bringing it to the city by gravity.

Col. Roberts said yesterday in regard to the matter:

"There is no question that we need a supply of pure water, and that very soon. There has already been too much delay and the matter is becoming more urgent every day.

"What we need first is a thorough investigation by the city of the exact amount of pure water required for domestic and manufacturing use. I believe that the estimated amount of water wasted, of which so much has been said lately, is excessive.

"It has been suggested that the use of meters would greatly diminish this estimated waste. The engineer of the filtration commission, Allen Hazen, recommended the use of meters at a cost of $650,000.

Care Would Prevent Waste.

"I believe that a force of careful water inspectors could prevent all waste at a decidedly small cost and yet permit the public to use all the water necessary for ordinary purposes.

"Mr. Hazen, in his report to the filtration commission, says:

It is thought better, however, to make the charges upon all structures, on the ground that with increasing population upon the watershed it is not certain that the Allegheny river water, even with filtration, will be a suitable source of water supply for Pittsburgh at the point now selected for a longer period than 40 years, and it is therefore advisable to provide for the payment of all indebtedness incurred on account of this plant within that period of time.

"In this he admits that the sand filtration plant will be practically useless within the short space of 40 years.

"What this city should do is to go to the mountain streams for pure water. Within a distance of 45 miles southeast of the city an abundance of pure water can be found and can be brought to the city by gravity in two lines of conduits.

Cost About $10,000,000.

"The cost of the land to secure perfect sanitation, the necessary dams and the conduits would probably not exceed $10,000,000 for 250,000,000 gallons of water daily. This would supply Greater Pittsburgh and permit several small towns and communities on the line to be supplied also, from which an income could be derived.

"Indian creek, in Fayette and Westmoreland counties, is one of the best of these streams. The watershed in that vicinity can more than furnish all the water Pittsburgh will require for many years to come. Black Lick and Two Lick creeks, in Indiana and Cambria counties; Yellow creek, in Indiana county, and Laurel Hill creek, in Somerset county, are also fine localities for pure water, and the supply from their watersheds is most ample. From any one of these high locations the water would flow by gravity right into the Highland reservoir and this would be an annual saving to the city of $240,000, which the Brilliant pumping station now costs."

Allen Hazen's Investigations.

In this connection some extracts from the report of Allen Hazen, the consulting engineer of the filtration commission, are of interest. Referring to gravity sources he says:

The country about Pittsburgh is rolling, with a general slope downward toward the west, and there is no land in the immediate neighborhood of the city high enough so that water from it could be taken by gravity to Pittsburgh. The nearest watersheds of this kind are those of certain tributaries of the Youghiogheny and Kiskiminitis rivers, among the foothills of the mountains. Of these the most promising one which we have found is the watershed of Indian creek. Indian creek enters the Youghiogheny eight miles beyond Connellsville. Laurel Hill creek, immediately beyond Indian creek, has a smaller watershed and is farther from Pittsburgh.

The Loyalhanna, above Ligonier, the next watershed to the north of Indian creek, has not sufficient area above the town where only it could be taken.

Railroads in the Way.

Farther away, beyond Laurel ridge, the Conemaugh river at Johnstown has a sufficient drainage area and a sufficient elevation. Its valley is occupied by the Pennsylvania railroad, which would make the construction of an aqueduct difficult, if not impossible. Stony creek, near Somerset, is also sufficient in size and elevation, but its valley is occupied by the Baltimore & Ohio railroad. The distances from Pittsburgh are also greater than the distance from Indian creek. South of Indian creek and Laurel Hill creek are the Castleman, the Youghiogheny and Cheat rivers.

The Western Water Company had acquired certain property upon Indian creek and had made certain investigations in regard to its development for water supply purposes, and this information has been put at our disposal by the officers of the company.

This project involves the construction of a conduit line from the reservoir to Pittsburgh, a distance of 47 miles, 42 miles being steel pipe and five miles tunnel. The dam required would be higher than any dam yet constructed. The water in the new reservoir would be 238 feet above the present stream and the total height of masonry would be 270 feet.

Dam 290 Feet in Height.

The highest dam yet constructed in the New Cornell for the water works of the city of New York, in which the water line will be 149 feet above the water level, and the extreme height of the masonry about 280 feet. The general height will be considerably less.

The Indian creek reservoir would have an area of 2,000 acres and a capacity of 40,000,000,000 gallons. The quantity of water which can be developed from the Indian creek water shed is estimated at 92,000,000 gallons daily. The flow of Indian creek is much less than the amount above estimated. The project involves the construction of a dam large enough to hold a year's supply of water, when the city is using 70,000,000 gallons daily, and the heavy winter and spring flows would be stored and made available during those months when the flow of the stream is less. The dam is also large enough to hold some of the water of wet years and allow it to be drawn in dry years.

The water would be very soft, softer than Allegheny river water. It would be nearly colorless. Under some conditions it would be subject to disagreeable tastes.

Water of Excellent Quality.

As there is but a comparatively little population and that of such a nature as to admit of ready control, and owing to the purifying action which takes place in very large reservoirs, the water would compare favorably with the best water supplies of the country, and its natural state would be equivalent in purity to Allegheny river water when filtered.

The pipe lines from the reservoir to the city would pass over many miles of coal fields. As the coal is removed settlements occur and there would be danger that the pipes might be broken and the supply cut off. For this reason it is not considered safe to use a single line of pipe, but the estimate is for two lines, connected at selected points on the solid ground, so that in case of a break in either line all of the water could be sent through the other line until the break could be repaired.

The total cost of works for the introduction of water from Indian creek is estimated at $13,568,500. This provides for two lines of pipe capable of delivering together 75,000,000 gallons a day.

Limit of 65,000,000 Gallons.

Owing to fluctuations in the daily consumption, it would not be safe to depend upon these pipes after the average consumption reached 65,000,000 gallons, and at that time a third pipe would have to be added.

When the average consumption reaches 92,000,000 gallons a second additional water sources would have to be added. Laurel Hill creek is the most obvious source to be taken for this purpose, and estimates have been made of the cost of adding Laurel hill creek system, and of adding a fourth pipe line to the city.

All expenses for delivering water into the present distributing reservoir will amount to $382,500 a year, with the original plant, which will suffice until the average consumption reaches 65,000,000 daily. The expense will then be increased with the third pipe line to $722,500 a year and will then remain constant until the consumption reaches 90,000,000 gallons daily. With the addition of Laurel Hill creek and a fourth pipe line they will be increased to $878,000, and will then remain constant until the consumption reaches 130,000,000 gallons a day, after which new supplies will have to be found.

THOUSANDS HAVE KIDNEY TROUBLE AND DON'T KNOW IT

To Prove what Swamp-Root, the Great Kidney Remedy, Will Do for YOU, Every Reader of "Gazette" May Have a Sample Bottle Sent Free by Mail.

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Your other organs may need attention—but your kidneys most, because they do most and need attention first.

If you are sick or "feel badly," begin taking Dr. Kilmer's Swamp-Root, the great kidney, liver and bladder remedy, because as soon as your kidneys are well they will help all the other organs to health. A trial will convince anyone.

The mild and immediate effect of Dr. Kilmer's Swamp-Root, the great kidney and bladder remedy, is soon realized. It stands the highest for its wonderful cures of the most distressing cases. Swamp-Root will set your whole system right, and the best proof of this is a trial.

14 West 117th St., New York City, Dear Sir: Oct. 15th, 1900.

"I had been suffering severely from kidney trouble. All symptoms were on hand; my former strength and power had left me; I could hardly drag myself along. Even my mental capacity was giving out, and often I wished to die. It was then I saw an advertisement of yours in a New York paper, but would not have paid any attention to it, had it not promised a sworn guarantee with every bottle of your medicine, asserting that your Swamp-Root is purely vegetable, and does not contain any harmful drugs. I am seventy years and four months old, and with a good conscience I can recommend Swamp-Root to all sufferers from kidney troubles. Four members of my family have been using Swamp-Root for four different kidney diseases, with the same good results."

With many thanks to you, I remain,

Very truly yours, ROBERT BERNER.

You may have a sample bottle of this famous kidney remedy, Swamp-Root, sent free by mail, postpaid, by which you may test its virtues for such disorders as kidney, bladder and uric acid diseases, poor digestion, when obliged to pass your water frequently night and day, smarting or irritation in passing, brick dust or sediment in the urine, headache, backache, lame back, dizziness, sleeplessness, nervousness, heart disturbance due to bad kidney trouble, skin eruptions from bad blood, neuralgia, rheumatism, diabetes, bloating, irritability, worn-out feeling, lack of ambition, loss of flesh, sallow complexion or Bright's disease.

If your water, when allowed to remain undisturbed in a glass or bottle for twenty-four hours, forms a sediment or settling or has a cloudy appearance, it is evidence that your kidneys and bladder need immediate attention.

Swamp-Root is the great discovery of Dr. Kilmer, the eminent kidney and bladder specialist. Hospitals use it with wonderful success in both slight and severe cases. Doctors recommend it to their patients and use it in their own families, because they recognize in Swamp-Root the greatest and most successful remedy.

Swamp-Root is pleasant to take and is for sale the world over at druggists in bottles of two sizes and two prices—fifty cents and one dollar. Remember the name, Swamp-Root, Dr. Kilmer's Swamp-Root, and the address, Binghamton, N. Y., on every bottle.

EDITORIAL NOTICE—If you have the slightest symptoms of kidney or bladder trouble, or if there is a trace of it in your family history, send at once to Dr. Kilmer & Co., Binghamton, N. Y., who will gladly send you by mail, immediately, without cost to you, a sample bottle of Swamp-Root and a book containing many of the thousands upon thousands of testimonial letters received from men and women cured. In writing, be sure to say that you read this generous offer in The Pittsburgh Daily Gazette.

PITTSBURGH GAZETTE'S CABLE FEATURES

FILIPINO REBELLION COMPLETELY SUBDUED

Gen. Malvar's Unconditional Surrender Is Now Complete.

REJOICING IN MANILA

[ASSOCIATED PRESS CABLE TO THE GAZETTE.]

MANILA, April 16.—Gen. Malvar was unconditionally surrendered to Brig.-Gen. J. Franklin Bell at Batangas province with the entire insurgent force of the provinces of Laguna and Batangas. Gen. Bell says his (Bell's) influence is sufficient to quell the insurrectionary movements in Tayabas and Cavite provinces and capture all those in the field who have not yet surrendered; but Malvar has ordered the complete surrender of every insurgent to the nearest American force.

Gen. Wheaton, reporting to the division headquarters, says that all resistance in his department has ended and that the surrenders just announced mean that the ports will be opened and that the Filipinos in the detention camps can be allowed to return to their homes in time to plant the crops.

Gen. Wheaton is especially pleased with Gen. Bell's care of the natives confined in the camps. The officers in charge are held personally responsible for the quality and quantity of the food served out and for the general welfare of the occupants of the camps.

The people of Manila are delighted at the prospect of a resumption of trade with the pacified province and are anxious to show Gens. Chaffee, Wheaton and Bell their appreciation of the fact that the insurrection is really over.

About 3,300 rifles have been received by the American officers in Batangas and Laguna provinces during the past four months.

The lack of news from the island of Samar is due to a defective cable. It is believed, however, that the American commander there received yesterday the surrender of all the insurgents in Samar unless the planned proceedings were altered.

APPROPRIATION BILL RAISED TWO MILLIONS

Senate Committee Paves the Way for Artistic Improvements at National Capital.

[BY ASSOCIATED PRESS TO THE GAZETTE.]

WASHINGTON, April 16.—The senate committee on appropriations today concluded consideration of the sundry civil appropriation bill. The total appropriation carried by the bill as it passed the house is increased $2,006,247, bringing the grand total up to $52,719,943.

The principal items of increase are as follows:

On account of public buildings, $387,500, the principal item in this connection being $250,000 for a marine hospital at Buffalo, N. Y.

On account of light houses, fog signals, etc., $752,620. Included in this provision is an appropriation of $125,000 for a light house tender for Porto Rican waters.

Engraving and printing, $208,888; expenses of geological survey, $106,100; armories at Rock Island, Ill., and Springfield, Mass., and moving ground at Sandy Hook, N. J., all $104,300; to begin work on the proposed Grant memorial in this city, $50,000, the cost to be limited to $240,000; extraordinary repairs to the White house, $30,000; military posts, $300,000; enlargements Governors Island, New York, $20,000; to begin the memorial bridge across the Potomac at Washington, $100,000, the final cost to be limited to $2,500,000; for support of United States prisoners, $75,000; fixing boundary line between the United States and Canada along the 49th parallel, $100,000; public printing and binding, $220,000; preliminary plans for new building for the National museum, $5,000, the building to cost $2,500,000.

New Industry for Beaver Falls.

BEAVER FALLS, PA., April 16.—(Special.)—The New York and Pittsburgh Manufacturing Company, organized under the laws of New York, with an authorized capital of $500,000, for the manufacture of typewriting and sewing machines, has located here on the site formerly occupied by the Shelby tube works and will begin operations at once. The president is S. R. Hays of New York, and W. A. McCoot of this place is general manager.

REBELS OVERPOWER 2,000 CHINESE TROOPS

A Whole Army of Imperial Soldiers Killed or Captured.

RUSSIANS FIGHT ROBBERS

[ASSOCIATED PRESS CABLE TO THE GAZETTE.]

HONGKONG, April 16.—A courier who arrived at Canton yesterday reported that over 2,000 imperialist soldiers, sent by Marshal Su against the rebels, were ambushed in a narrow defile and all were killed or captured.

The situation in the rebellious districts of southern China is increasingly alarming. The viceroy of Canton has telegraphed to Peking, urging the immediate forwarding of reinforcements. Lack of news from Gen. Ma and Marshal Su is taken to indicate that the rebels have surrounded the imperial troops and cut off communication with them.

PORT ARTHUR, April 16.—Serious fighting has occurred in the vicinity of the boundary of the provinces of Muden and Kiran, Manchuria, between Russian frontier guards and Chinese robbers who had been raiding railroad stations. The Russians surrounded eight hundred Chinese at Kiang-Tung-Tai and only thirty of them escaped. The Russian losses were very small.

GREAT DEMAND FOR BRITISH WAR LOAN

Morgan Syndicate Said to Have Taken One-Half the Bonds.

[ASSOCIATED PRESS CABLE TO THE GAZETTE.]

LONDON, April 16.—There was a tremendous rush to subscribe to the new loan of £32,000,000 today. At the Bank of England it was estimated this evening that the loan had been 10 times oversubscribed. The lists will probably close tomorrow.

Official confirmation of the above was forthcoming this afternoon in the Bank of England giving notice that half the loan had been privately subscribed for and offering the other half for public subscription at 93½ with interest at 2½ per cent. The subscription list will be closed on or before April 21.

It was said today that J. Pierpont Morgan, the Barings and the Rothschilds have secured an aggregate of £16,000,000 of the new loan of £32,000,000. The remaining £16,000,000 will be offered to the public.

CABINET DISAGREES ON PEACE PROPOSALS

Boers Are Vigorously Demanding Immediate Representative Government.

LONDON, April 16.—Up to a late hour tonight there have been no definite developments in the matter of the peace negotiations. The Associated Press learns that Lord Milner, the British high commissioner in South Africa, has defined certain propositions on which peace may almost immediately be secured, but the cabinet at its meeting totday is said to have disagreed upon the merits of Lord Milner's terms.

"Sparring for time" best describes the present status of the negotiations, neither side being willing to risk a decision which would break off the present conference. An agreement may be reached at any moment, but this would more likely be the result of semi-independent action by Lord Milner and Lord Kitchener at Pretoria than of the rather involved conditional decisions of the cabinet at London.

The government has ordered the cable and telegraph lines between London and Pretoria to be kept clear to insure the prompt transmission of Lord Kitchener's messages.

There is good reason to believe that the Boers are vigorously demanding a representative government, and that this demand is opposed with equal vigor by the British representatives.

It is understood that the Boers strongly object to the long delay proposed by Great Britain before a representative government be granted the former republics, and that they also insist on the number of Boer seats in the council being specified.

APPEAL FOR ASSISTANCE.

African Methodists Ask Aid for Building New Church in Allegheny.

The Rev. John W. Gazaway, pastor of Brown chapel, African Methodist Episcopal church, Allegheny, has issued an appeal to the people of all denominations for assistance in building a new church. He proposes to put out solicitors, all of whom will be provided with proper credentials.

Brown chapel was built 40 years ago, and of the cheapest material, because the struggling congregation could not afford better. Repairs have been necessary from time to time, but they have not strengthened the original structure. In the storm on Easter Sunday the building was badly wrecked. It is now a question of putting more money on the old building or erecting a new one. The latter is thought best.

Temporary repairs have been made so the congregation can use the present structure for some time, but work on the new building should be commenced as soon as possible. The appeal of the pastor is a stirring one, and will probably soon result in money enought to warrant building operations.

FIRST OF THE CHAIN WAS INCORPORATED

Charter Granted to Pioneer of Colonial Trust Company's Suburban Namesakes.

The first of a chain of trust companies to be organized in the smaller cities and towns about Pittsburgh under the auspices of the new Colonial Trust Company was incorporated at Harrisburg yesterday—the Colonial Trust Company of South Sharon, with a capital stock of $125,000. The incorporators are the leading spirits in the Colonial Trust Company of Pittsburgh. Their names, as given in the application for charter, are: Joshua Rhodes, James C. Chaplin, M. K. McMullin, William Flinn, George H. Flinn, E. C. Converse, W. S. Kuhn, W. H. Latshaw, George W. Parr, Charles H. Fairchilds.

The new company has a neat banking house completed at South Sharon and will open for business May 1. The South Sharon charter is the first of a number of branches the Colonial will open in the boroughs surrounding Pittsburgh. Several more charters will be applied for inside of the next few weeks. The organization of each, however, will be entirely separate from the parent company in Pittsburgh.

TELEPHONE SYSTEM SOLD

Columbus and Dayton Capitalists Buy Everett-Moore Interests.

CLEVELAND, O., April 16.—The telephone properties of the Everett-Moore syndicate at Columbus and Dayton, O., were formally transferred by the bankers committee today to Columbus and Dayton capitalists, who have purchased the stock heretofore held by Messrs. Everett and Moore.

Through this sale the bankers committee obtains about $189,000 in equities to apply on the liabilities of the Federal Telephone Company.

Liberty Will Have a Torch.

WASHINGTON, D. C., April 16.—Secretary Root has made arrangements to maintain a light in the statue of liberty on Bedlows island in New York harbor. The electrical apparatus belonging to the lighthouse establishment and used by it in lighting the statue will be employed for that purpose.

Pensions Granted.

WASHINGTON, April 16.—The following pensions were granted today: Washington Winton, Centerville, $12; Henry L. Beck, Loganstown, $10; Joseph Fey, Elderton, $8; Susan Rigby, New Castle, $12; Henry H. Black, McDonald, $12.

FIVE THOUSAND FAMILIES SHUT OFF FROM CITY

Big Section of Twenty-First Ward Is Inaccessible to Vehicles.

BLAME LAID ON POLITICS

Lincoln Avenue Bridge Is Torn Down and Only Other Approach Impassable — No Fire Protection and Trouble With Food Supply.

Five thousand families in the Twenty-first ward are completely cut off from vehicle communication with the rest of the city. They are absolutely without fire protection of any kind, greatly inconvenienced in procuring food supplies, and in a quandary as to how to reach the city cemeteries when one of their number dies. All this is charged to the fact that at the recent municipal election the ward turned up with a strong anti-machine majority. The residents of the isolated district say that the city administration is attempting to punish them for taking a stand on the side of good government.

Just prior to the last election councils voted an appropriation to build a new bridge at Lincoln avenue. This was accomplished after the citizens of the ward had been clamoring two years for the improvement.

Scheme Did Not Work.

The administration hoped by acceding to the demands for the Lincoln avenue bridge to appease the Twenty-first ward voters and hold them in line for the machine.

The scheme failed, for the Twenty-first ward sent to councils a solid anti-machine delegation and gave the anti-machine candidate for controller a majority of upward of 1,000. Since then the Twenty-first ward people have been deprived of all improvements. Unable to repeal the appropriation for the Lincoln avenue bridge the city hall officials are retaliating in another direction.

Traffic Completely Cut Off.

Two weeks or more ago the Lincoln avenue bridge was torn down preparatory to being rebuilt, leaving the Larimer avenue bridge the only route open to the district beyond Negley's run. The Larimer avenue route is not available for traffic, however, because of the condition of the street beyond the bridge. At the farther approach to the bridge the roadway is unpaved for a distance of half a block. The street is so muddy and rough at this point that it is impassable to all vehicle traffic, including fire engines.

The Twenty-first ward councilmen allege they have complained to the public works department in vain for a remedy. Councilman J. K. Wymard and C. W. McNeil stated yesterday that they had made repeated appeals to the city officials and that nothing had been done to give the residents of the ward relief.

Could Not Fight Flames.

"It is impossible for vehicles to get any farther than the bridge," said Councilman Wymard. "There are 5,000 families living in the district on the other side of the Larimer avenue bridge, and if a fire should break out in that section it will be absolutely impossible for a fire engine to reach it. As is well known, we have no engine house on the other side of Negley run, although Director Leslie for a long time has promised to erect a temporary engine house for us. Promises are all we have been able to secure, however.

"We are left totally without fire protection, and as a result the insurance companies are canceling all policies on property in that district. Delivery wagons are shut out and the wholesale houses refuse orders to merchants because they cannot deliver the goods.

Great Inconveniences.

"The condition of the street is deplorable. Even a funeral cortege cannot get to any point on the other side of the run. If the street was filled in for a distance of half a block vehicles could reach the paved street at the other end. To fill in the street would not cost more than $150 or $200 at the most.

"Director McCandless has made various excuses for not having the street repaired, but nothing more has been done. It is apparent that the city officials have no intention of doing anything."

Employes Dismissed.

In addition to the above complaint Dr. George W. McNeil charges that city employes in the East End who are suspected of supporting the anti-machine ticket in the last election are being discharged.

He said yesterday that five "white wings" had been dismissed by John Battles, superintendent of the bureau of highways and sewers, for political reasons. Councilman McNeil said that he had gone to Director McCandless to ask that the five men be reinstated and that the director had promised to reinstate them.

Twenty-first ward citizens say that unless the street beyond the Larimer avenue bridge is repaired vehicle traffic will be cut off for many weeks yet and the entire district will be absolutely at the mercy of the flames should a fire break out.

Postmasters Nominated.

WASHINGTON, D. C., April 16.—The president today sent the following nominations as postmasters to the senate:

Pennsylvania—Alfred Turtle, Crafton; George W. Wright, Elizabeth.

Ohio—Albert W. McCune, Bradford; Henry C. Turner, Lodi.

Wynne's Nomination Confirmed.

WASHINGTON, D. C., April 16.—The senate, in executive session today, confirmed the nomination of Robert J. Wynne of Pennsylvania to be first assistant postmaster general.

HAMILTON'S

Great Artists
Who Praise
The Angelus
Orchestral
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An instrument is known "by the company it keeps," much the same as is a person. Therefore, read the following testimonials from musicians of international fame. These people KNOW what the Angelus is, and their judgment is not to be questioned in any matters pertaining to music.

Although in knowledge of several self-playing instruments, I remained for the ANGELUS player to give me a genuine surprise in respect to its many musical effects. You have certainly succeeded in producing a touch both light and smooth, thus taking the ANGELUS out of the class of automatic piano players.

[Signed] JEAN DE RESZKE.

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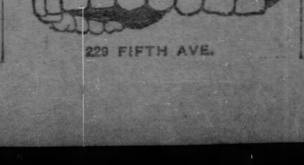

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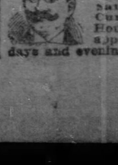

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SOLDIERS MUST USE OLD RIFLES FOR PRACTICE

THE SEASON OPENS MAY 1

National Guard May Get New Guns Before End of the Year.

[BY ASSOCIATED PRESS TO THE GAZETTE.]

HARRISBURG, PA., April 16.—An order was issued from national guard headquarters tonight as follows:

"The current season for rifle practice will open May 1 and will close October 31, 1902.

"It was hoped that an exchange of arms would have been effected prior to May 1, 1902, and that a new or improved arm would have been used during the current season for rifle practice. The contemplated exchange of arms depends upon the result of legislation now pending in congress. Should this legislation be enacted the exchange may be effected during the year. Until this exchange is made rifle practice will be conducted with the present arms.

"Practice with the regulation Springfield rifle, caliber .45, will be required of every officer and enlisted man in the infantry arm of the service and the naval force of Pennsylvania, except brigade bands; with the carbine and revolver in the cavalry arm of the service."

Another order directs that hereafter at inspection quartermasters and assistant surgeons of artillery and cavalry organizations be excused from parading, but on battalion and squadron parades they shall be part of the staff of the commanding officer.

STATE AND NEIGHBORHOOD.

BEAVER FALLS, PA.—Mrs. J. R. Patterson of this place was terribly scalded about the face yesterday by the explosion of a coffee pot which she had placed on a stove.

ASHTABULA, O.—Spring fishing at the lower lake harbors has opened. Fish tugs brought in 1,400 to 1,800 pounds each. The catch is mostly pike.

NEW CASTLE, PA.—A newly-organized congregation of Methodists will this spring erect a church building on West Washington street, Sixth ward.

CANONSBURG, PA.—The borough council has awarded to Hummel & Carroll of Marion, O., the contract for the construction of a complete sanitary sewer system. The contract price is $35,368.60.

SHARON, PA.—Fire caused by molten metal at the Sharon Steel Company's furnace destroyed the hoisting apparatus, necessitating the shut-down of the plant. The damage is considerable.

FAIRMONT, W. VA.—At a meeting of the city council last night the deadlock, which has been on for the weeks over the election of a chief of police, was broken, and John S. Jewett of the First ward was chosen for the place.

STEUBENVILLE, O.—W. C. Fellows of New Alexandria, who was elected justice of the peace this spring, has resigned, saying that he cannot afford to be on the outs with his neighbors for a petty township office.

SHARON, PA.—Postmaster Williams has received notice from the postoffice department that a sub station will be opened in South Sharon May 1, and three carriers will be selected to carry mail in that town.

COMMITTEE RETURNS MR. ACHESON'S MONEY

Declined to Permit Congressman to Qualify in Beaver County.

[SPECIAL TELEGRAM TO THE GAZETTE.]

BEAVER, PA., April 16.—The chairman of the Beaver County Republican committee has returned to Congressman Acheson his check for $50, refusing to permit him to qualify as a candidate for congress at the Beaver county primaries. The reason assigned for this is that when James E. Cunningham, the Beaver candidate, went to Lawrence county several weeks ago to qualify he was informed that the fee had been raised from $50 to $500 since the Pittsburgh conference. He refused to pay, and Acheson was the only candidate for congress voted for at the Lawrence county primaries.

As the time for qualifying here closed today, Cunningham will be the only candidate for congress on the ticket to be voted for on May 15.

The other candidates who have qualified for the different offices are as follows: State senate, S. P. White, and Dr. H. S. McConnell of New Brighton; assembly, T. L. Kennedy, New Brighton; Ira F. Mansfield, Beaver, and John T. Taylor, Monaca; delegates to the state convention, M. S. Quay, Beaver; J. M. May, Beaver Falls, and Thomas F. Jobe, New Brighton; register and recorder, J. L. B. Dawson, Beaver Falls; Wilbert R. Harris, New Brighton; J. S. Mitchell, Herman F. Dillon, George W. Altsman, Beaver Falls; sheriff, Charles Javens, Bridgewater, and Howard Bliss, Rochester; county treasurer, Thomas B. Bradshaw, South Beaver township; A. G. Harvey, New Brighton; clerk of courts, T. S. Cook, Beaver Falls; Joseph A. Sutherland, Borough township; C. A. Wallover, Rochester; John H. Sturgeon, Beaver Falls; M. S. McGeorge, Darlington township; county commissioner, H. C. Glasser, Monaca; James C. Coleman, Beaver Falls; A. G. White, Beaver; George W. Carey, New Brighton; coroner, Dr. J. R. Gormley, Monaca, and Dr. J. K. White, New Brighton; county auditor, James B. Edger, New Brighton; E. M. Standley, Beaver, and W. B. Ralston, Hanover township.

HELD FOR LARCENY.

Former Express Agent Charged With Stealing $3,000 in Ohio.

AKRON, O., April 16.—Frank E. Fuller, former agent of the Adams Express Company at Hudson, O., who is accused of taking a package containing $3,000 in currency in transit from Akron to Washington, arrived here today accompanied by an officer.

Fuller was recently apprehended in Iowa and came here without a requisition. He was arraigned in police court today, and was bound over to common pleas court in the sum of $5,000.

State Charters Issued.

HARRISBURG, April 16.—The following state charters were granted today: The Colonial Trust Company, South Sharon, capital $125,000; Artesian Water Company, Wilkinsburg, capital $1,000; Morrellville Coal and Coke Company, Johnstown, capital $15,000; Sharon Brass Manufacturing Company, Sharon, capital $30,000.

CREASY ENDEAVORS TO PROMOTE HARMONY

BLAIR COUNTY MUDDLE

Democratic State Chairman Heard Stories of Factions at Altoona.

[SPECIAL TELEGRAM TO THE GAZETTE.]

ALTOONA, PA., April 16.—Democratic State Chairman W. T. Creasy was in the city a short while this afternoon, the guest of the Democratic association. The two county chairmen, Frank Meintel, representing the Myton faction, and S. M. Hoyer of the Creasy wing of the party, called on him, together with about 100 prominent party leaders from all parts of the county.

Chairman Creasy said he was here to try and investigate as well as unravel the existing differences in the party in this county and, if possible, help to restore harmony. The Meintel followers expressed themselves as favorable to another convention, contending the one held was irregular. The Creasy contingent took opposite views. Creasy heard all the arguments advanced by both sides and is said to have intimated that the county executive committee has a right to determine the matter. This decision is looked upon as a rebuke to the promoters of the early convention.

There is no doubt but that Chairman Meintel will be ordered to call a primary election and convention as soon as the state executive committee decides on the date for the state convention.

Creasy says he is a candidate for re-election as state chairman and the convention must determine whether the state fusion ticket is to be put in the field.

OFFICIAL FIGURES NO LONGER A BASIS

In Both Foundry and Bessemer Iron Prices Are From $2 to $3 Higher.

[SPECIAL TELEGRAM TO THE GAZETTE.]

NEW YORK, April 16.—In its issue tomorrow the Iron Age will say: The buying of pig iron is restricted to urgent requirements since the greater number of the foundries have now covered their requirements far into the future. In some cases apparently the profit obtainable by reselling is too tempting and odd lots are coming into the market in that way. We have heard of instances, too, of requests for delaying deliveries, but these are all isolated cases to which too much significance should not be attached. In both foundry and Bessemer iron prices are from $2 to $3 above the "official" figures, which have ceased to be any basis of current transactions.

The attempt to feel the foreign market by inquiries for a round lot of Bessemer pig has developed the fact that no iron can be laid down in this country, duty paid, at prices at all near the home market, and the effort to seek relief in that direction has been abandoned.

A little is being done in importing foreign billets and we hear of some offerings of small lots, but the quantities involved are unimportant. The steel rail situation is well reflected by the fact that recently a 10,000-ton order was placed in Germany for a trolley road in this state, the rails fetching $31 ex-ship, as against $28 at mill, the "official" quotation. As a matter of fact rails fit to re-lay have been sold by railroads at $28, which is what the new rails which they are putting down cost them at mill.

An interesting development has been the selling of considerable blocks of old steel rails for rerolling. Lately trunk lines and coal roads have disposed of 30,000 tons in the aggregate to go to a western mill. There are large offerings of old steel rails from Europe, at least 20,000 tons being available at $20 and $21, but the sections are awkward, and so far as we can learn nothing has been done. The same is true of round lots of old iron rails, of which some are under suspicion as to quality.

In the heavier lines of finished iron and steel the reports continue very favorable. The tonnage of structural work which is being closed is very large. Thus, this week, seven new buildings in Philadelphia, Pittsburgh, New York and Brooklyn call for 12,000 tons of material and some large additional contracts are in sight. The plate mills, too, are being pushed. Orders are being placed in some instances for 1903 delivery.

In the pipe trade the interesting contract involves 11,000 tons of pipe for an oil line, which is to be followed by 3,000 tons more.

The pressure for deliveries on bars, sheets, wire and other lighter lines continues, although it is whispered that in some directions specifications are not coming forward just as fast as was expected.

NATIONAL CAPITAL NOTES.

A new postoffice has been established at Rodfield, Allegheny county, with Charles Schwelt as postmaster.

Mr. Showalter has been notified that the free delivery of mail will be extended to South Sharon on July 1, with a sub-station in place of the present postoffice.

Mr. Showalter has recommended the appointment of Berrett S. McAllister to be postmaster at Browns, Beaver county, and that a rural delivery of mail route be established from Sandy Lake, Mercer county.

Three additional rural mail routes will be established out of Coolville, Athens county, O., May 1, with three carriers. Area to be covered is 108 square miles and 1,431 persons will be served with daily mail.

Postmaster John H. Wright of Union City was a visitor at the capital today. Mr. Wright is of the opinion that the five delegates to the state convention from Erie county will vote for the nomination of Wesley R. Andrews of Meadville for governor.

Other visitors were C. W. Benedict of Titusville, Col. Ned Arden Flood and R. Ed Ashley of Meadville. All were of the opinion that the action of Senators Quay and Penrose in opposing the candidacy of John P. Elkin will result in a rousing victory.

RIVER INTERESTS

[SPECIAL TELEGRAM TO THE GAZETTE.]

CINCINNATI, O., April 16.—River at 6 p. m., 40.7 feet and falling slowly. Weather cloudy, warm, threatening rain. The Robert F. Gilham arrived with a tow from the Kanawha. She will lay up here a few days and go on the Queen City marine ways and have her wheel fixed, when she will take her tow to Louisville. The E. R. Andrews went up last night late with a tow of empties. The Eagle returned from Louisville for her machine repairs. The J. T. Risher passed down for Louisville at noon. The D. B. Wood passed up with a tow of empties at noon. The Adelle is due in this morning with a tow of empties. The Relief will go to Lawrenceburg and Aurora in the morning with a tow of coal for the factories there.

LOUISVILLE—River rising slowly; 12 feet 7 inches on the falls, 14 feet 9 inches in the canal and 36 feet 5 inches at the foot of the locks. Business brisk. Weather partly cloudy and cool. Arrivals and departures were the Indiana from and to Cincinnati, Morning Star from and to Evansville, Big Kanawha from and to Kanawha. Log rafting is done at Louisville today. She has 10 empty barges and 13 coalboats. The Boaz and W. W. O'Neil should arrive at Louisville tomorrow or Saturday. The Defender is three days out from Vicksburg coming north.

The towboats Josh Cook and Joseph Walton arrived yesterday afternoon with tows of empties. The Cook coaled and then cleaned boilers. Capt. William Oaks Jr. in command and Capt. Robert Oaks is his partner at the wheel of that boat.

The packet Enos Taylor has been purchased by Parkersburg persons and will be at once placed in the Parkersburg-Creston trade. The sum paid for the boat was $7,000. She will run daily trips between the two points of her trade, and will be in opposition to the Oneida.

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Among the passengers on the steamer Queen City, which arrived yesterday, were the following: Miss Bertie Morgan, Cincinnati; Miss Ray Watts, Ravenswood; Dr. E. L. Nichols and wife, R. M. McGee and wife, Cincinnati; F. A. Gould and wife, Chicago; J. C. Meyer and wife, Portsmouth; F. J. Gartland and wife, Glenwood.

Capts. G. S. Davison of Greenville, Miss., D. W. Broadhurst of Memphis, Walter H. Saunders of Humboldt, Tenn., George O. Rogers of St. Louis and James Ford of Newport, Ky., have become members of Harbor No. 28, and Capt. Nathan Smith of Paducah, Ky., is an applicant for membership in the same organization.

Yesterday cut himself with a draw knife while cutting out a new spar for the wharfboat.

Capt. Hills Maguire, who for many years was steward on Cincinnati packets, is a candidate to succeed himself as mayor of Madison, Ind.

Capt. John F. Dravo was at his desk at the coal exchange yesterday, and reports that his wife, who was prostrated last week by paralysis, is somewhat improved.

The towboat Joseph R. Williams, which has just received new boilers, will be allowed 182 pounds of steam. Before she received the new set of boilers she was allowed 152 pounds.

Capt. Mathew Erwin, one of the rising young Ohio river pilots, was married last night. His bride is Miss Alice Young of Allegheny. Capt. Erwin will make his home at Baden, Pa., for the present.

Negotiations have been opened for the sale of the little towing steamer Harbor No. 25, and several parties are after her. This is the craft the pilots use to make their low-water trips of observation in the summer time.

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Mills Started Again—The rail and blooming mills of the Edgar Thomson steel works, Braddock, shut down for several days to make repairs to an engine, started last night.

Bonds Will Be Issued—Homestead council last night decided to issue $15,000 in bonds for the extension and improvement of the water works. Bonds to a like amount will be issued for the erection of a garbage furnace.

Steel Plates Fell on Him—Michael Buyuse, employed at the Homestead steel works, was caught under a number of falling plates in the yards of the 128-inch mill while at work yesterday and badly injured. He is at the Mercy hospital.

Killed in the Yards—William E. Burns, 27 years of age, a brakeman on the Allegheny Valley railroad, was killed in the yards yesterday. He was from Apollo, has been married but two weeks and had been boarding at No. 241 Forty-third street.

Four Burned in Explosion—By an explosion at the Eliza furnace last night, when a cast was being made, four men were badly burned. All were sent home except Michael Jubo of No. 40 Greenfield avenue, who was sent to Mercy hospital.

Will Authorize Officers—East Pittsburgh council discovered last night that while the borough has been doing business since 1895 there are no ordinances creating officers or defining their duties. The council will now be busy for several weeks supplying the deficiencies.

Corcmakers on a Strike—The corcmakers employed at the plant of the Mesta Machine Company in West Homestead are on strike for higher wages. About 20 men are employed in the plant and a request for an advance in wages was handed the company some time ago.

Red-Hot Rod Severed Artery—Joseph Yurat of Baltimore street, Rankin, was caught on the left foot by a red-hot rod in the Rankin wire mill yesterday morning and seriously injured. The rod entered his foot and one of the arteries was severed. He was taken to the Mercy hospital.

Elks to Dedicate Hall—The Elks of Tarentum will dedicate their hall today. From 2 to 4 o'clock there will be a reception for ladies. In the early evening the guests from Pittsburgh and other places will be received and at 10:30 will be the banquet. Preparations have been made for the entertainment of 500.

Attempted to Drown Himself—Edward Exter, said to be from McKeesport and insane, attempted suicide at Port Perry. He jumped in the river at lock No. 2 and would have been drowned if one of the lock-tenders had not put out a rope about him and dragged him from the river. He was taken to Mercy hospital yesterday morning by friends.

New Electrical Equipment—The Pittsburgh Railways Company has taken out all of the old dynamos at Carnegie and in their place will install two 500-horsepower dynamos. A 1,000-horsepower storage battery will also be installed and connected direct with Pittsburgh so there will at all times be sufficient power. About $40,000 will be expended.

May Irwin's Cold—Miss May Irwin, who is presenting "The Widow Jones" at the Alvin theater this week, was unable to appear yesterday afternoon, and consequently there was no matinee. Miss Irwin contracted an annoying cold while in Washington last week, and upon the advice of her physician she remained at her hotel all day so that she might appear in the evening.

Lecture on Architecture—Dr. W. J. Allen will deliver a lecture on architecture in the noon hour tomorrow at the School of Design for Women, in the Penn building. This lecture is open to all who are interested in the subject and the noon hour was fixed upon to accommodate those who are otherwise engaged during the day. Dr. Allen is one of the most interesting lecturers in the city.

To Aid Belgian Strikers—Cablegrams received here yesterday announced another general strike of the workers of the window glass factories in Belgium. The old organization of window glass workers here, headed by Simon Burns, will assist liberally to support the foreigners, if their strike is prolonged. In the strike of 1901 the Burns organization sent $42,500 to the Belgian workers.

Two Injured by Blast—George Wilson, 40 years of age, foreman for the H. S. Kerbaugh Co., on the work of widening the Port Perry tunnel, was badly injured yesterday by a blast. Thomas Clark, 29 years of age, one of his men, had three ribs broken and was taken to the Homeopathic hospital. The blast had more force than had been calculated upon and the men were showered with debris.

Will Build Parsonage Also—The Presbyterians of Homestead decided last night that they would not only have a new church but a parsonage as well. There was a congregational meeting and there was a large crowd out. It was decided to sell the present parsonage and build a church and parsonage together on their property at the corner of Ninth avenue and Ann street. They will expend about $50,000 for the buildings.

Humane Society Met—At the regular weekly meeting of the Humane society yesterday afternoon James Hutchinson of Tylerdale, Washington county, and M. R. Conley of McDonald were appointed agents of the society. The following contributions and fines were received during the week: George E. Alter, $5; Mrs. H. M. Hill, $5; Mrs. Joseph Ford, $1; Mrs. Otto Hceren, $1; Mrs. E. Mangold, $1; Mrs. H. Hoffman, $1; Alderman C. F. Oyer, $50.

Week's Death Record—There were 155 deaths in the city last week, the principal causes being pneumonia, 21; consumption, 14; typhoid fever, 9; measles, 9, and violence, 9. There were 29 deaths of children under 1 year, 22 between 1 and 10 years, and 15 between 70 and 90 years. Fifty-seven were of foreign birth and 28 died in hospitals. During the week there were reported 58 cases of typhoid fever, 17 of scarlet fever, 13 of diphtheria and 7 of smallpox.

Engineers Will Meet—Pittsburgh Stationary Engineers' Lodge No. 95, International Union of Steam Engineers, will hold an open meeting next Sunday night at No. 404 Smithfield street. William A. Shaw, business agent of the machinists; A. J. Duffy, business agent of the portable and hoisting engineers, and other leaders will address the meeting. The Pittsburgh engineers are making rapid progress in preparations for the convention of the general organization to be held here in September.

Will Lecture Four Times—Mrs. Anna H. Shaw will lecture four times during the week of April 28. Her first lecture will be on Mt. Washington on Tuesday, her subject being "The American Home." On Thursday she will speak in Masonic hall, Bellevue, on "The Relation of the Woman's Ballot to the Home," on Friday she will speak in Homestead on "The Fate of Republics," and on Sunday she will address the Epworth league in Christ church. Mrs. Shaw is an ordained minister in the Methodist Protestant church, and president of the American Woman's Suffrage association. She has a national reputation as an advocate of woman's rights.

Inquiries for Four Persons—Several requests were made to the police yesterday to locate people in this city. Mrs. Annie Ross of Dunbar asked that a search be made for her son, a boy named Willie Cooper, also known as Willie Walker, who left home to come here 17 months ago and has not been heard of since. Robert A. Spence of 9 Poplar street, Memphis, wants the address of a man named Cullinan, who formerly kept a saloon here. His son, Joseph Cullinan, died there three weeks ago and it is desired to get the address of his relatives to dispose of his effects. The relatives of Joseph Bender are also inquired for. He is a dyer and also a carpenter. He took sick at Bridgeport, Ohio, and was removed to the North Wheeling hospital, where typhoid fever developed, and it is doubtful if he recovers. It is requested that his relatives be found and notified.

OFFICERS FOR YEAR HAVE BEEN ELECTED

Western Pennsylvania Golf Association Also Admitted Pittsburgh Country Club.

At the meeting of the Western Pennsylvania Golf association, held yesterday afternoon at the Duquesne club, the Pittsburgh Country club was admitted to membership, but will not be represented by a team in the league, which will again be composed of six clubs.

A schedule of 30 games, five for each club, was adopted and will be announced in a few days. The first will be played on May 3 and the last on June 28.

A. B. Shepherd of the Pittsburgh Golf club was elected secretary in the place of F. X. Barr, who refused to again accept the office, and the following officers were re-elected: John Moorhead, Jr., president; E. Z. Smith, vice president, and W. N. Kerr, treasurer.

The Westmoreland Country club, which made such strides in golf last season, will attempt to go even a faster pace this year and already 15 trophy cups are on the program, with the prospect that there will be as many cups played for at Logans Ferry as on any course about Pittsburgh. W. H. Nimick has offered seven cups; B. C. Bakewell and W. W. Woodruff each two and the greens committee one. There is a new cup up called the "Officers" trophy, presented by the president, vice president, secretary and treasurer. The "Knowland" cup, to be played for, is held from last season by F. S. Viele and the club championship cup by H. D. Shute.

In requesting that the club team be not scheduled for Friday and Saturday dates, the Allegheny Country club made the announcement of important weekly tournaments on those days, to be held on the magnificent new course back of Sewickley.

MARRIAGE LICENSES.

The following marriage licenses were granted yesterday:

Augustine Zales	Duquesne
Juliana Gutaskichi	Duquesne
Joseph Findon	West Tarentum
Annie K. Lamon	Creighton, Pa.
Ellis N. Fox	Tarentum
Eva Bell	Tarentum
Francis H. Bodar	Allegheny
Elizabeth Adolph	Allegheny
Thomas Antis	East Pittsburgh
Elizabeth J. Stevenson	Pittsburgh
John B. Hermes	Allegheny
Margaret Mueller	Allegheny
Emil Mathews	Etna
Mary Kraus	Sharpsburg
Philip H. Grimm	Turtle Creek
Katie Dryburg	Turtle Creek
John Hoffman	McKeesport
Anle Rath	McKeesport
Walter F. Haggerty	Sharpsburg
Minnie E. Burns	Aspinwall
Matthew W. Erwin	Baden, Pa.
Alice M. Young	Allegheny
Augustyn Olow	Carnegie
Anna Galecka	Carnegie
Harry R. Laughlin	Pittsburgh
Emma E. McCaughan	Pittsburgh
David Brunner	Sharpsburg
Margaret Senther	Etna
Mike Sabul	Munhall
Mary Salmon	Homestead
Joseph Magni	Homestead
Annie Martin	Homestead
Herman S. Bechhert	Allegheny
Blanche M. Williams	Allegheny
James A. St. Clair	Allegheny
Mary Shearer	Renfrew, Pa.
Alphens J. Aldon	Pittsburgh
Louise Adams	Pittsburgh
Mihaly Toth	Pittsburgh
Polla Bires	Pittsburgh
Sanders Williams	Braddock
Margie L. Hardy	Braddock
William Michael	Etna
Lottie L. Kiser	Beacom
Albert Youngling	Pittsburgh
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DEATHS.

ALDINGER—On Wednesday, April 16, 1902, at 3 a. m., after a brief illness, IRVIN T. ALDINGER, in the 25th year of his age.

Remains will leave his late residence, Wilmerding, Pa., at 5 a. m., on Thursday. Interment at Clarion, Pa., Friday at 1 p. m., where the funeral services will take place. Survived by his father, one brother and three sisters.

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BLUM—On Tuesday, April 15, 1902, at 12:30 p. m., MARTIN E. BLUM, beloved husband of Bertha Blum (nee Grim), aged 32 years, 9 days.

Funeral from his late residence, 435 Cedar street, Sixteenth ward, on Thursday, April 17, at 2:30 p. m. Friends of the family respectfully invited to attend.

BORLAND—On Wednesday, April 16, 1902, at 9:20 a. m., JANE P. BORLAND.

Funeral services at her late residence, No. 607 Ridge avenue, Allegheny, on Friday afternoon at 2 o'clock. Interment private.

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Notice of funeral later.

CAMPBELL—On Tuesday, April 15, 1902, at 11:15 a. m., JAMES CAMPBELL, in his 79th year, at his residence, Moravia.

Funeral services at his late home Thursday afternoon at 2 o'clock. Carriages will meet remains at Pittsburg, Ft. Wayne & Chicago railroad station, Allegheny, Friday at 9:20 a. m. Interment at Calacavia.

DAWSON—On Tuesday, April 15, 1902, at 11:30 a. m., MARY E., eldest daughter of Susannah and the late William Dawson.

Funeral services at the residence, No. 5131 Westminster street, Shadyside, on Friday afternoon at 2:30 o'clock. Interment private.

GERDING—On Monday, April 14, 1902, at 6 p. m., HENRY GERDING, husband of Mary E. Gerding (nee Russwinkel), in his 68th year.

Funeral from his late residence, No. 75 Roberts st., on Thursday, April 17, at 2 p. m. Services at the First German Trinity Lutheran Evangelical church, Sixth avenue, near Fifth avenue (Rev. W. Broecker), at 2:30 p. m. Friends of the family are respectfully invited to attend. Please omit flowers.

GUBERT—On Monday, April 14, 1902, at 2:15 p. m., at the residence of her sister, Mrs. Mary Gloninger, 6700 Thomas street, MRS. FLORENCE AGNES GUBERT.

Funeral on Thursday morning at 9 o'clock. High mass of requiem at Holy Rosary church, Kelly street, at 9:30. Interment private.

LOUGHRAN—On Wednesday, April 16, 1902, at 4:15 p. m., at his home, 228 Zara street, Knoxville, EDWARD F. LOUGHRAN, husband of Clara Maguire Loughran.

Notice of funeral hereafter.

MORELAND—On Tuesday morning, April 15, at 7 o'clock, at his home, 218 North Highland avenue, East End, THOMAS B. MORELAND.

Funeral services at the Sixth United Presbyterian church, corner Highland and Station street, Thursday afternoon at 2:30 o'clock. Remains may be reviewed at the church, from 1 p. m. until the hour of services.

MATHEWS—On Wednesday, April 16, 1902, at 7 a. m., ELIZA DAUGHERTY, relict of Lewis Mathews, in her 80th year.

Funeral services at the residence of her daughter, Mrs. Charles Kinsley, No. 10 Grape street, Knoxville, on Friday afternoon at 2 o'clock. Friends of the family are respectfully invited to attend.

NEWBY—On Tuesday, April 15, 1902, at 8 a. m., CHARLES C. NEWBY, in the 73d year of his age.

Funeral from the residence of his son, William G. Newby, 83 Flowers avenue, on Thursday, at 1:30 p. m. Services at Church of the Good Shepherd (Episcopal), at 2 p. m.

RAISBECK—On Tuesday, April 16, 1902, at 3 p. m., at the Mercy hospital, WILLIAM RAISBECK, in his 73d year.

Funeral from the residence of his daughter, Mrs. James Muir, 7124 Race street, Homewood, on Friday afternoon at 2 o'clock. Friends of the family are respectfully invited to attend.

SWETT—On Monday, April 14, 1902, at 4:15 p. m., LYDIA JANE, widow of James H. Swett, in the 88th year of her age.

Funeral services at her late residence, 723 North Negley avenue, East End, on Thursday afternoon at 2 o'clock. Interment private.

WATKINS—On Tuesday, April 15, 1902, at 8 a. m., JOHN WATKINS, husband of Catherine Watkins (nee Evans), aged 75 years, 2 months, 23 days.

Funeral services Thursday, at 2 p. m., at the residence of his son, Edward Watkins, 34 Twenty-second street, South Side, Pittsburgh. Friends of the family and members of Madoc lodge, No. 229, K. of P., and Roger Williams lodge, A. T. I., are respectfully invited.

WEILER—On Wednesday, April 16, 1902, at 3 p. m. of scarlet fever, at the family residence, Hawkins Station, Pa., JOSEPH WOLF, only son of Lee H. and Lottie W. Weiler (nee Wolf), aged 4 years, 11 months and 10 days.

Funeral Friday morning, April 18, at 9 o'clock. Interment private.

WOOD—On Tuesday, April 15, 1902, at 6:25 p. m., MRS. EVA WOOD (nee Jamison), in the 38th year of her age.

Funeral from her late residence, 250 East Jefferson street Allegheny, on Friday morning at 10 o'clock. Interment private.

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FOURTEEN PAGES.

The Political Situation.

The wisdom of refusing to enter into any deals or to accept any settlement based upon concessions of office or patronage to individuals, is shown by the improvement in the political situation which followed the declination of the leaders of the reform movement to accept anything from the hands of Gov. Stone. The main object in procuring the passage of the new charter was not to obtain a change in the personnel of the municipal administration, although that was a necessary incident. What was desired was a change of system which would destroy the character of the control exercised over municipal affairs. It is as true now as when Burke first stated the principle in his famous essay on "The Cause of the Present Discontents" that "where there is a regular scheme of operations carried on, it is the system, and not any individual person who acts in it, that is truly dangerous." Having that in view it was the purpose of the new charter proposals to attack corruption at its source in the organization of the city government. An integral feature of the scheme was to abolish the power of a comparatively small minority to control the city government and levy tribute upon legislation through the agency of Select Council. Whether it be true or not that a councilmanic combination was organized to hold up legislation until it paid the price, it is certain that legislation essential to the growth and prosperity of Pittsburgh has been held up, and it is also certain that the ability to do so in the way it has been done, would have been destroyed had not Gov. Stone mutilated the new charter so as to leave all the opportunities of ring rule intact, while conferring upon himself the power to vend those opportunities should he abuse his power over the recordership with that intent.

The proposal to turn over the recordership to those who had advocated the new charter, while upon its face it had a plausible show of equity, was altogether insufficient as a means of redressing the just grievances of the people and of satisfying public demands. This plan of pacifying opposition was however completely baffled when the only man who could have afforded to accept the recordership without incurring suspicion of laying himself under personal obligations to Gov. Stone and of submitting to the system which Gov. Stone represents, flatly declined to entertain the suggestion.

The beneficial effect of the attitude taken by the reform leaders is already manifest. The party leaders have been confronted with the fact that there is but one way to harmonize the situation, and that is to deal directly with the people, by securing the nomination of candidates whose character and position will give assurance that they will break up the rings, make an end of the "graft" system in politics, and give the people the reforms they demand. The first evidence of this policy is the declaration that if Gov. Stone's attorney general succeeds in bagging the nomination for governor it will be in spite of the energetic resistance of Senator Quay and other party leaders occupying a position which can only be described as one of national responsibility. Nothing less than the prospect of disaster so great as to affect the national welfare of the Republican party could have forced Senator Quay to a decision involving the rupture of close personal ties and bringing upon himself the cares and perplexities of an extensive readjustment of party management. The statement that this decision was arrived at in pursuance of any deal, trade, agreement, or understanding as to the conduct of the Allegheny county reform movement, or as to the course of The Gazette, is altogether false and unfounded, and is made with the intent of muddying the waters so as to hide maneuvers of self-interest. There are no gold bricks to be disposed of to those who are not buying such commodities whether genuine or imitation and who have no bids to make for senatorships, recorderships, or any other offices, but whose object is primarily to accomplish charter reform according to its original intent, and incidentally to destroy root and branch the "graft" system of which the perversion of charter reform was the outcome. Although the operation of that system was so nakedly exposed in Allegheny county as to make the popular revolt against it strongest here, yet that system is at work all over the state degrading political conditions and corrupting the party organization, and it is a great triumph for the Pittsburgh reform movement that it has brought about a state of affairs compelling radical treatment of the party situation in its entirety.

The danger which threatens the movement now is not from the attitude of the state party leaders. In the struggle going on over the gubernatorial nomination the people are sure to gain because all interests must now vie in seeking popular support. In that quarter the prospect is auspicious. In the local field care must be taken that the reform movement is not converted into a stalking horse for designing politicians, who will shout lustily for reform and take advantage of the clamor to convert the reform movement into an agency for boosting themselves into office. They will, of course, try to discredit opposition to their designs by raising an outcry about deals and trades on the part of others so as to divert attention from their own deals and trades, and they have already obtained newspaper support in misrepresenting the situation. A circumstance to their advantage is that there is a natural feeling of vindictiveness on the part of bodies of reformers against some of the personal representatives of the "graft" system assailed by the reform movement. This, too, might be carried to lengths that would lower the aims of the reform movement and expend its strength in securing new distributions of official emolument without genuine correction of methods. The mass of the people have no particular interest who hold the offices so long as means are provided which will compel the offices to be administered for the public welfare. The true object of reform is to smash the apparatus by which councilmanic combines and legislative hold-ups are worked, and to organize a system of government which shall be the agency of the people, and not merely the tool of professional politicians.

Liquor Law Violations.

The license court judges deserve the thanks of the community for the searching inquiry made by them into the manner in which persons holding licenses to sell liquor have conducted their business, and for the manner in which they have purged the list. The persistence of the judges in their determination to get at the truth developed violations of the law and of the rules of the court that were a surprise to most people, and the flagrant offenders have suffered in consequence. There is also much surprise at the fact brought to light by the court that persons who had been refused licenses were afterward able to have the decision reversed and licenses issued to them.

There is no question that there has been constant violation of the liquor laws of the state by persons licensed by the county court, and there is no doubt that there is much more violation of the law by persons who have no licenses, and who have no right whatever to do business. The city is under obligation to prevent and punish this law breaking, and should do so. A large revenue is derived by the municipality from the legitimate conduct of the liquor business, and the unlicensed trade, in addition to being a constant menace to the morals and peace of the community, tends to lessen this revenue. That speakeasies are permitted to sell liquor in violation of the statutes at all hours of the day and night is also an injustice to those who pay the required license fee and who are under obligation to observe all the laws and rules prescribed for the orderly conduct of their business. This immunity enjoyed by unlicensed places is undoubtedly an incentive to violations of the law by those regularly licensed, and the stamping out of the speakeasies and dens would undoubtedly have a wholesome effect in causing licensed dealers to more uniformly obey the law.

If the city authorities do not take this matter in hand and deal with it doubtless a way will be found for the county authorities to take it up to the end that the law be enforced.

Play Ball!

The day so long looked forward to by the baseball enthusiasts has at last arrived, and this afternoon, weather permitting, the teams composing the National league will play the opening games of the season of 1902. There was a time when the opening of the baseball season was of but little moment to the great majority of the populace, but of late years it has become an event so important as to attract the attention and engage the interest of men, women and children throughout our broad land.

The love for athletic sports has increased wonderfully within the past decade, and outdoor games and pastimes have multiplied rapidly in compliance with the desire for popular forms of recreation. Football, tennis, golf, cricket, polo and other sports have competed for popular favor, but not one of them has been able to displace baseball as the national game. There is more enthusiasm now than was ever before known in the history of the diamond, and the enthusiasts are to be found in all the circles of life.

Malvar Comes In.

After many days Gen. Malvar has decided that it is wiser to be in Uncle Sam's hands as a prisoner than out in the jungle as an enemy. Malvar was expected to come in several months ago, but the expectation was not realized until yesterday. It was known to the United States army authorities that he was getting uncomfortable. They were making things pretty warm in his vicinity. He had essayed to take up the role of dictator and assume what was left of Filipino insurrectionary authority after the capture of Aguinaldo, but the dictator business did not come up to his expectations. He could not compel the support of the natives, as had been done in the past, for they are becoming impressed with the power of the United States and the determination of this country to suppress the insurrection. Therefore, he has quit. His surrender is unconditional. Malvar was the last man of consequence in arms in the department of the North Philippines, and his surrender means the extinguishment of organized resistance in Luzon. The pacification of the archipelago is almost complete, and the people are settling down in contented acceptance of American rule, freed from fear of ambitious and unscrupulous native masters.

Antiquated Conferee System.

The tangle in the Twenty-third congressional district is a relic of the conferee system. Two of the three counties want to continue that antiquated and unsatisfactory method; the third desires to abandon it. But there is no means, except mutual concessions, for reaching an agreement. A like state of affairs exists in the Twenty-second district and some others not as near Pittsburgh. The result may be to weaken the Republican party in the fall election, when it will need all of its strength to make sure of the usual delegation in congress. The conferee system was a convenience in the stage coach days, but since the advent of railroads and telegraphs has been nothing but an invitation to trouble and corruption. Pennsylvania as an enlightened state is entitled to a rational and comprehensive system for making nominations in districts composed of two or more civil divisions.

Our Philadelphia contemporaries are discussing the smallpox situation in this end of the state with scant courtesy to the powers that have created a state board of health and appropriated the insignificant sum of $12,000 a year for its support, including a salary of $4,000 for its secretary. It is a blot on the state; there is no doubt about that. But there is no immediate remedy, as the legislature cannot take action for almost a year. Meantime Pittsburgh and other towns which make adequate provision for their own sanitary arrangements are menaced by the conditions in contractors' camps and other places beyond their jurisdiction.

J. Pierpont Morgan has taken over about one-third of the new British war loan, and it may be assumed will bring it home on the line of British ships he bought last year. John Bull is beginning to lean on Uncle Sam as a big brother.

More councilmanic investigations are promised. So the probe goes deep enough there will be no objection to all the councilmanic investigations promised or threatened.

Since it is reported the frosts have damaged the fruit buds we may look confidently forward to having some fruit this year.

With the official opening of the baseball season at hand the weather man must positively improve his goods.

Mules are no novelty in Irwin, but a drove of them have given the town a new and thrilling experience.

Even by next winter Mr. Richardson will probably insist upon calling Christmas presents holiday gifts.

Prof. Brooks has just discovered his twenty-third comet, the whole not being equal to one gold deposit.

Hon. Chauncey M. Depew's elections resolution is rather severe for a good-natured man to turn out.

Belgian socialists having taken to the use of bombs will find them dangerous.

Tomas Estrada Palma knows how it feels when the outs get their innings.

FOUR NORTH RIVER TUNNELS NOW IN SIGHT

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According to revised plans there will be four tunnels under the Hudson river between Jersey City and New York. The latest one to be talked about generally is that of the New York and Jersey City Terminal Underground Railroad Company, which was incorporated about two weeks ago. This corporation intends to build a tunnel between the Battery in New York and Communipaw avenue, Jersey City. It is the intention of the company eventually to build north from the Battery to Forty-second street, for an elevated connection with the Vanderbilt lines. This is all in the air, paradoxical as that may sound in connection with an underground road. The tunnel under the river will be through solid rock, with a double track. This is estimated to cost $2,000,000, while the approaches will come to another $2,000,000. With this tunnel and three others travel between Jersey and New York ought to be a very simple thing, and up will go the value of New Jersey real estate. Only a few days ago it was settled that the Pennsylvania railroad should have the right of purchasing such ground as it needs in Manhattan, as well as of going under the Hudson river without let or hindrance. Then there will be the Union Terminal Company's tunnel, which will come into New York at Fourteenth street, and the old Hudson river tunnel, which was partly bored a number of years ago, and which will come into this city at Morton street, as at present determined. These tunnels are all backed by large capital, with enterprising men handling it, and there should be at least one tunnel in operation in the course of a few years. Of course, it will be a long time before there will be an elaborate connection between the two sides of the North, or Hudson river, but if only one system were in operation, so that commuters could be independent of the ferryboats now and then, it would be the greatest single public improvement that New York and New Jersey have had in the last quarter of a century.

Back from the Wars.

Stories of a South American revolution were related by eye-witnesses on board the United States gunboat Marietta, this morning. This little vessel has just arrived in the harbor from Colon, where she has been doing police duty, and the young fellows aboard have had an excellent opportunity of seeing how squabbles among the hot-bloods of South America are conducted. Uncle Sam's officers on the Marietta sum it all up by saying that Colon is "a hole," and the fighting in South America is funny.

Missionaries Were Absent.

Judge Newberger of general sessions declared testily this morning that "missionaries and aid societies are never around to help a man in actual want, but come when prisoners have retained expensive counsel." The case that called forth this sharp remark was that of a man arrested for petit larceny, who had been driven by hunger to theft. The judge had remanded him and called upon several missionaries and aid societies to come to court and inquire into the case. None of them appeared, and the judge was indignant. He suspended sentence on the prisoner.

Italians Quarrelsome.

Thousands of Italian laborers are working on the rapid transit tunnel and other big enterprises in this city, and one hears the Latin tongue in the streets almost as much as English. Besides this, there are many little quarrels between different races, and the foremen of gangs have all they can do to preserve order continuously. There was a row on a schooner in the Harlem river this morning that might have grown into a pitched and murderous battle but for the prompt arrival of the police. A gang of Italian tunnel laborers persisted in marching across the schooner to a scow that lay outside in the river. There had been much grumbling by the schooner's crew, with "back talk" from the Italians. Then an Italian fell from the poop deck and broke his ankle. His countrymen made a concerted attack upon the crew of the schooner, who they somewhat illogically blamed for their comrade's misstep, and there was as much trouble on deck as if the vessel had run into a fleet of Chinese pirates. It all ended in the injured man being taken to the hospital and the arrest of 15 Italians who were fined $10 apiece. They all paid the money.

Glad to Come Home.

Bissert, the wardman, will be glad to get back to the Tombs again. He says so himself. The order for his release was taken to Sing Sing today, and he is more or less comfortably established in the Tombs tonight. The other convicts at Sing Sing have led him a dog's life, according to all accounts, as they generally do all policemen who happen to arrive there as prisoners. Bissert was always hard on "crooks," saying he "had to be," and those gentry, with all the cunning of their class, have annoyed Bissert in every way possible while he has been in the prison. His counsel hope that he will be released on bail until his new trial takes place.

At Talmage's Funeral.

An immense crowd gathered in Greenwood cemetery today to witness the interment of the remains of Dr. Talmage in the family plot. Although it was not made public at what time the ceremony would take place, hundreds of persons learned of it some how and flocked into the cemetery to see the funeral cortege arrive. There were very few persons in the immediate vicinity of the grave, however, and it was apparent that respect rather than idle curiosity had attracted most of the spectators.

Praise for Young Actor.

Edwin Brandt, the clever young actor who has been steadily coming to the front in the last five or six years, does exceedingly well as the king in the drama, "The Last Appeal," at Wallack's. When the veteran D. H. Harkins broke down on the stage on Monday night the management looked about hastily for some one to take his place. Mr. Brandt was doing wicked things as the villain in "Soldiers of Fortune" at the Savoy, but it was thought that he could be spared from that part to take the more important one at Wallack's. As both plays are under the same management the transfer was effected easily. Mr. Brandt was told to learn the new part at once, and being a remarkably quick student he did it, playing the king last night without a hitch. He is remembered in Pittsburgh principally as leading man for Andrew Mack for several years.

New Race Track Promised.

There is to be a new race track within easy reach of Greater New York. It will be now practically, although it has been in existence for many years and had been allowed to fall into decay. It is the Allendale, between Mt. Vernon and Tuckahoe. It is well known to old horsemen, all of whom will be pleased to know that it is to be brought into use again. It was sold today at auction for $200,000 to the Curran & Peterfier Company of this city, who intend to make it one of the most beautiful and well-equipped race tracks in the state. It is expected there will be several races there before the present season ends.

Rice Wills Badly Tangled.

There was a breezy discussion between lawyers before Surrogate Fitzgerald today over the alleged will of William M. Rice, the old millionaire, for whose murder Albert T. Patrick has been convicted. It seems as if the murder trial has mixed up the wills of old Rice inextricably, and that nothing can be done until Patrick either is electrocuted or tried again. It does not appear that the public cares much about the case, but it gives lawyers a great chance. There have been three changes of counsel in connection with the wills since the matter first came before the surrogate. The upshot of the argument today was that the probating of the will may have to go on, unless counsel in opposition hit on some new plan to compel delay.

Brilliant Art Exhibit.

It is said that the thirty-fifth annual exhibition of the American Water Color society, at the American art galleries, which will open next week, will prove to be the most interesting and brilliant ever held in this city. The press view will be on Monday and it will then be possible to speak positively, but the report is that many of the pictures will be a revelation.

Stuart's Last "Washington."

A portrait of George Washington, which is described as "the last portrait painted by Stuart of Washington from an actual sitting," is attracting much attention at the Fifth avenue art galleries. It is one of a collection of 165 paintings formerly owned by Daniel Abegg of Saxony. The story is that it was the personal gift of Washington to his friend, Gen. Josiah Ellicott, of Ellicott City, Md., and became the property of his only surviving relative, Miss Ellicott, two years ago. The whole collection will be sold at auction tomorrow and Friday evenings.

Sport for Anglers.

It is not only trout that is sought by enthusiastic anglers around New York. A favorite sport is to go out beyond Sandy Hook and catch cod, or any other fish that may take to the bait of the hardy fishermen. A small steamship takes the crowd, and away they go to the open sea beyond the Hook. Every day there are fishing parties of this kind, and generally they go out of sight of land when the sea is not too rough. Old ocean has been calm for the last few days, fishermen say, and the catch of fish has been unusually large. The fish markets carry out the assertion of fishermen, for the stock of fish every day is larger than it has been for a very long time.

Smugglers Are Troubled.

Conscience seems to trouble smugglers in this month of April. Twice since the new collector of the port took office, on April 4, he has received money for the "conscience fund." The second donation came today. It was a new $20 and a $10 note, wrapped in a yard of heavy blue paper. On the paper was the inscription: "Unpaid duty on goods. P. S.—Not clothes." While this gives a great deal of satisfaction to Collector Stranahan, as showing the existence of a moral sense on the part of the sender, he is not afraid that the habit of contributing to the "conscience fund" will cause him to work overtime. The old delusion that it is not so very wicked to smuggle still prevails strongly in this country, and no one knows it better than the average customs official.

Gates "Sawing Wood."

There was a great deal of interviewing, or attempted interviewing, of persons concerned in the big Louisville & Nashville transaction in Wall street. It does not appear that much real information was gained. It is declared that John W. Gates and his associates in the deal have cleared a little matter of $5,000,000, but this is only a surmise, after all. Mr. Gates himself has nothing to say for publication and everybody connected with the transaction is equally reticent. In the meantime the turmoil on 'change has subsided and business on the street today was almost normal.

Big Donations Expected.

It is believed that Andrew Carnegie and John D. Rockefeller may give large sums of money to Columbia university. The reason for this belief is based on the fact that both of these gentlemen have accepted invitations to be present at the installation of Dr. Nicholas Murray Butler as president of the university on Saturday. More than 600 representatives of a hundred different colleges and universities will attend the ceremonies.

Hard Luck for Pool Rooms.

Brooklyn pool rooms and hand book men have a hard time of it. With the mess at Aqueduct in full swing there is much temptation to bet, and the professional layers of odds are eager to meet the young men who think they can name the winners. To stop all this kind of gambling a squad of uniformed policemen was sent out, and it was a very difficult thing to get a bet down in Brooklyn without having some inquisitive policeman take a hand in the transaction. The peculiar code of morality that makes it a sin to bet on a horse race in a pool room or at a street corner, but allows it in the betting ring at the race track does not concern the police, and argument on that point today was entirely thrown away.

GEORGE C. JENKS.

Pittsburghers in New York.

The following Pittsburghers are registered at the New York hotels today:

WALDORF-ASTORIA.
J. E. Schwab. W. B. Corey.
J. M. Schoonmaker. L. C. Robens.
J. McCaffrey. S. S. Cooper.

VENDOME.
W. French. Mrs. W. French.

MARLBOROUGH.
Frank B. Dix.

IMPERIAL.
W. Wickersham. C. T. Jackson.
Wm. G. Lindsay. F. C. Milliken.
John L. McFeely. Mrs. John L. McFeely.

GRAND.
S. E. Leppert.

HOLLAND.
Thomas Morrison. D. G. Kerr.
H. P. Bope. D. M. Clemson.
W. W. Blackburn. E. M. Harper.
W. H. Self. Miss R. Smith.
Mrs. Frank R. Smith. Miss Eleanor Smith.

GILSEY.
A. J. Kelly, Jr. Mrs. A. J. Kelly, Jr.

VICTORIA.
D. D. McDonald. Wm. J. Jordan.

HOFFMAN.
Mrs. Grace Brown. Miss Lewis.
C. C. Kauffman. A. T. Rowand.

ALBEMARLE.
Mrs. D. T. Watson. Henry Chalfant.
Mrs. Henry Chalfant.

FIFTH AVENUE.
Mrs. M. H. Herron. Mrs. T. W. Welsh, Jr.
Maj. H. S. Hudson. James D. McGill.

BARTHOLDI.
Harry Williams. Mrs. Harry Williams.

MORTON.
W. W. Bell.

ST. DENIS.
Mrs. J. H. Elder.

HERALD SQUARE.
C. Jarvis.

ASTOR.
Chas. F. Wells. F. M. Rees.
H. C. Campbell.

COMMISSION FOR HUNTER.

Fighting Chaplain of the Tenth Recommended for Appointment.

WASHINGTON, D. C., April 16.—(Special.)—Representative Showalter has been advised that the Rev. Joseph L. Hunter, the fighting chaplain of the Tenth Pennsylvania volunteers, has been designated for appointment as chaplain in the regular army and has been ordered to report for examination.

For some time past Chaplain Hunter has been located at Jamestown, Pa., where he is pastor of the Presbyterian church. He is a son of V. J. S. Hunter of Beaver Falls and was raised and educated in that place. Rev. Hunter has been connected with the National guard for a number of years and is universally liked.

MR. SCHWAB AND "TOM."

The President of the Steel Combine Gladdened the Heart of a Blind Newsboy by Giving Him Something More Substantial Than Kind Words.

[SPECIAL TELEGRAM TO THE GAZETTE.]

NEW YORK, April 16.—Down by the bleak and wind-swept entrance to the Pennsylvania ferry at Twenty-third street stands a blind newsman in whose heart today there is no bitterness against the rich, for did not Charles M. Schwab, president of one of the mightiest of all the combinations of capital, look with pity upon his sightless eyes and give him a crisp five-dollar bill for just one copy of an evening paper?

To that mysterious little world by itself, made up of the tattered and ragged hosts of "newsies," the man who attracted Mr. Schwab's pity is known as "Blind Tom." For years he has stood at the cheerless ferry entrance, where wind and fog from the river have full sway, and patiently sold his papers to the few who do not prefer a younger and quicker dealer.

Fortune has not favored "Blind Tom" of late. "Newsies" who can see their patrons and make change far quicker than the blind man have proved hard competitors to cope with, and Tom has struggled hard and worked long through the winter months to keep soul and body together. But his little triumph came at last when Mr. Schwab last Saturday afternoon singled him out from the host of newsboys that swarm around the ferry entrance, bought a pink Evening Telegram and listened for more than ten minutes to the story of Tom's long struggle against poverty.

For many years "Blind Tom" has patiently and persistently tried to sell his papers, and always he has stood at the same spot, between two posts just in front of the main entrance to the ferry house. Every day Policeman Swain of the steamboat squad, guides Tom to his post and every night he sees him safely on his way to the cheerless home in Greenpoint that awaits him. "Newsies" who, like Tom, make a living at the Pennsylvania ferry, although sympathizing with him and doing him many little kindnesses, must look out first for themselves, and as a result Tom often goes home with but few coins in his pocket.

It was last Saturday afternoon, just before the express for Philadelphia left that "Tom" received encouragement of a most substantial character. Jumping from a cab only a few moments before train time, Mr. Schwab hurried toward the ferry. Before entering the doors, he bethought him that a paper would serve to pass the time, and just then "Tom" caught his eye. Turning to the blind man Mr. Schwab noticed that the eyes before him stared into perpetual darkness.

"Why, how can you tell one paper from another, my man?" asked President Schwab.

"Just by the feeling," said Tom, his face lighting up with happiness at the kindness of the man who addressed him. In answer to Mr. Schwab's questions the blind man then told of how since childhood he had lived in darkness and tried by every means within his power to preserve his independence and earn a living. When he finished there were tears in the eyes of many.

After hearing the story Mr. Schwab slipped a bill into Tom's hand and hurried through the gates to catch a train.

THE DEATH ROLL.

Capt. John C. Reno.

Capt. John Christmas Reno, a prominent citizen of Minneapolis and a former well-known resident of Pittsburgh, is dead at his home in Minneapolis, of apoplexy. Capt. Reno was one of the best-known commanders on the rivers from Pittsburgh to New Orleans, and during his life built and operated half a dozen steamers on the lower rivers. When the civil war was declared, Capt. Reno was a resident of Pittsburgh, and entered the government service in command of a steamboat on the Mississippi river. In 1863 he was wounded in the Yazoo Pass expedition, and compelled to quit the service. Capt. Reno was born nearly 80 years ago, in Loudonville, O., and in 1852 married to Miss Jane Howard of Pittsburgh, who is critically ill. Capt. Reno's wife is a sister of the late William J. Howard, a former Pennsylvania railroad attorney, and of Mrs. Henry B. Hays of South Highland ave., nue, East End.

James D. McClellan.

WEST CHESTER, Pa., April 16.—James D. McClellan, who was said to be the oldest and best known hotel man in Pennsylvania, died here today, aged 88 years. During his life he conducted four hotels in Philadelphia, one in Bryn Mawr, one each in Altoona, Lancaster and Bedford Springs, and three in West Chester.

Miss Jane P. Borland.

Miss Jane P. Borland, a daughter of Moses Borland, who lived in Pittsburgh and later in Allegheny councils, died yesterday at No. 601 Ridge avenue, Allegheny. She was a member of the Arch Street Methodist Episcopal church, and is survived by one brother, W. C. Borland.

Obituary Notes.

Miss Rebecca Cady, 73 years old, died yesterday at the home of Miss E. G. Bennett, No. 68 Boggs avenue. She had lived for many years with the family of the late Samuel S. Boggs.

Mrs. George McGuiggan, 65 years old, wife of Justice of the Peace McGuiggan of North Versailles township, died at her home at that place yesterday. Her husband and one son survive.

PERSONALS.

The National Foundrymen's association, John A. Penton, secretary, held a meeting at the Hotel Lincoln yesterday. Some 15 or 20 representatives from different sections of the country were present. The meeting was private and the proceedings were not given out. They left for their homes on the early trains last evening.

The second section of the Pennsylvania fast line last evening was one of the heaviest trains that ever left the Union station for the east with one engine. It was made up of 12 cars, eight of which were Pullman coaches. "It is a heavy load for one engine," said the conductor, "but engine No. 2018 is a good puller and 'Pusher' Fox, the fireman, who will have to throw between 12 and 13 tons of coal under the boilers before we reach Altoona, is able to do it. We should have had two engines, however."

W. D. Henry, the owner of the Hotel Henry, said last evening, as he surveyed the improvements being made in the lobby of his practically new hotel, that every effort was being made to have everything in splendid shape for the American club banquet next Saturday week, and that the large force of workmen were rapidly nearing the end of the work. All that remains to be done now is to finish some of the marble wainscoting and arrange the new telephone booths and office fixtures.

At the Monongahela house last evening 21 superintendents of the mines of the Monongahela River Coal & Coke Company gave a complimentary dinner to D. E. Blackburn, assistant general superintendent, who has resigned to engage in other business. It was an informal affair. During the evening the guest of honor was presented by his hosts with a gold watch and chain, the presentation speech being made by William Sedden of Pittsburgh.

A party of 15 juniors and 7 seniors, accompanied by Profs. H. D. Saddler and H. T. Anderson of the school of engineers of the University of Michigan, were passengers for Washington last evening over the Baltimore & Ohio. They are on a 10-days' tour of inspection and have been enjoying four days of the time in this city visiting various industrial plants, coming here from Toledo. Prof. Saddler said at the depot that their treatment here had been most courteous and that they had been received at all the plants with great hospitality. During their stay they visited the Brilliant pumping station, the Westinghouse interests, the Edgar Thomson steel works, the Pennsylvania tube works, the Crucible steel works, the Lucy furnaces and the American Bridge Company plant. "We are building a school of engineers at the university at a cost of $140,000, which will be finished about May 1," said Prof. Saddler. "One of the features will be a tank 300 feet long for testing vessels, such as the government has at the navy yard at Washington. We are also building a medical department, which will soon be completed. The proposed Carnegie polytechnic school in this city will be of the greatest advantage to the public. This is the best place in the country for it, provided the students are given free access to the various industrial plants. It will be necessary for its success to start it well, as the start is everything in such a school. I am surprised that there has been such a great delay in having it started at once, and understand that this is the fault of the city. There is not another city in the country that would not gladly offer Andrew Carnegie the best piece of property within its limits he would present it with such a school."

Neighbors Visiting Pittsburgh.

The following persons from nearby towns were registered yesterday at the leading downtown hotels:

Duquesne—Mr. and Mrs. J. Kmerling, Johnstown; Samuel F. Flennikin, Uniontown.

Monongahela—J. W. Snowden, Brownsville; A. J. Darragh, Ebensburg; Jno. R. Hogan, Wm. McClelland, Uniontown; H. C. Greer, M. S. Marquis, New Castle.

Henry—W. W. Corert, Sharon; G. S. Love, New Castle; W. H. Dean, Uniontown; Chas. E. Pope, Sharon; Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Grey, Connellsville.

Lincoln—Miss E. J. Hadley, E. R. Guade, K. Chickering, Miss Chickering, Oil City; Mr. and Mrs. Bruce H. Campbell, Miss Elizabeth Campbell, Johnstown.

Victoria—E. L. Eberle, Altoona; Jacob Snyder, Wheeling.

Griswold—J. K. Muller, Lebanon; J. W. Holland, W. F. Holland, Morgantown, W. Va.; Wm. Gillie, Richard Hurey, Brownsville, Mr. and Mrs. F. M. Rose, Butler; J. Kaufman, W. H. Cooke, New Castle; W. R. Bowden, Dunbar.

Seventh Avenue—W. W. Hindman, Clarion; Frank Lebold, H. Broadhead, Butler.

BRILLIANT WEDDING.

Miss Ray MacMaster Russell Became the Bride of Hector Harrold Havemeyer—Pittsburghers There.

NEW YORK, April 16.—In the Madison Avenue Reformed church this afternoon Miss Ray MacMaster Russell, daughter of Mrs. James Russell, was married to Mr. Hector Harold Havemeyer. The church was filled with the friends of the young couple, but the reception, which was held at the residence of the bride's mother, No. 44 West Eighty-seventh street, was attended only by the relatives and a small number of the personal friends, as the bride's family is in mourning. Miss Russell was given away by her brother, Mr. George D. Russell. Mrs. Isaac Hallam Jenney, sister of the bride, was the matron of honor, and Miss Josephine Havemeyer, sister of the bridegroom, was the maid of honor. The bridesmaids were the Misses Marsh Rees, of Pittsburgh; Grace Ballard, Alice Quackenbos and Gertrude Heneken of this city.

The bride wore a gown of white satin, made princess, the yoke being of point and duchess, and the veil of tulle. The latter was fastened with orange blossoms and the bridal bouquet was of lilies of the valley and white orchids. The only jeweled ornament worn was a brooch of diamonds, a gift from the bridegroom.

The matron of honor and maid of honor were attired alike in costumes of pale green sappho silk and white lace picture hats. Each carried a bouquet of white lilacs. The bridesmaids wore skirts and waists of pale green silk. Each carried a bouquet of pink roses and lilies of the valley.

Mr. Arthur Havemeyer was his brother's best man. The ushers were Messrs. Raymond Havemeyer, Peter Gilsey, John Sayre, Martin, Isaac Hallam Jenney, Dr. William B. Willcox, Charles D. Rafferty and Guernsey Curran.

The ceremony was performed by the Rev. George Alexander, pastor of the University Place Presbyterian church, assisted by the pastor of the Madison Avenue Reformed church, the Rev. Dr. Abbott E. Kittridge.

Some of those invited to the church and the house were Mr. and Mrs. Henry O. Havemeyer, Mr. and Mrs. Frederick Ballard, Mr. and Mrs. John S. Martin, Dr. and Mrs. John Quackenbos, Miss Helen Gould, Mr. and Mrs. Frank J. Gould, Miss Vera Nordica, Mr. and Mrs. Van Norden, Mrs. Gilsey, the Misses Gilsey and Mr. and Mrs. Isaac Maclay.

Mr. and Mrs. Havemeyer have planned to spend the honeymoon in the south and the summer months at Seabright, N. J.

Heron—Wilson.

In the East End last evening the wedding of Miss Annie Laurie Heron and Ralph Waldo Wilson took place. The bride is a sister of Mrs. William H. McManus, with whom she has made her home during the past year.

Notes of Society.

Mrs. Frederick Schoff and Mrs. Mary Mumford will speak at the tea and flag presentation in celebration of Froebel's birthday anniversary next Saturday, April 19, at the Kindergarten college.

Miss Grace Aiken gave a box party yesterday afternoon at the opera in honor of the debutantes. Mrs. Westinghouse placed her two boxes at her disposal for the matinee. In the evening Mrs. Westinghouse gave her boxes to Mrs. Benjamin Thaw and Mrs. William Watson Smith.

Mrs. Margaret Deland will lecture on Saturday afternoon, April 19, at 5 o'clock in the Twentieth Century Club house. Mrs. Deland's subject will be "The Change in the Feminine Ideal." Non-members of the Twentieth Century club will be admitted to the lecture on the payment of a fee.

Miners Will Stay Idle.

Miners of the Allegheny and Kiskiminetas valleys were all idle yesterday. They attended a mass meeting in the opera house at Leechburg and were addressed by President Patrick Dolan, Vice President Uriah Bellingham and Secretary-Treasurer William Dodds of the Pittsburgh district organization. A strike fever seemed to possess the meeting and committees were appointed to present again to the operators the scale that several of the producers have accepted.

NEXT WEEK'S PLAYS.

Mansfield, "The Christian," "The Sign of the Cross," Melodrama and Burlesque Are the Attractions Offered for Public Approval.

Richard Mansfield will be seen at the Alvin next week in his celebrated creation of the French barber prince, "Beaucaire." It is announced that he brings with him the original cast of the play, and all the scenery, furniture, horses, costumes and pictorial paraphernalia which have distinguished the production in other cities. Mr. Mansfield has always maintained a reputation for the completeness and perfectness of his productions, even to a most extravagant degree. In addition to the actors and actresses, musicians and dancers, he carries with his organization a large number of stage experts, costumers, grooms, electricians, calcium light operators and also the calcium lights, so particular is he for detail. The sale of seats opens this morning.

So great is the demand to see Hall Caine's stirring play, "The Christian," at the Grand, that notwithstanding all preparations were made for the production next week of "The House That Jack Built," Manager Davis has been obliged in the face of the demand to continue "The Christian" for another week, starting next Monday. It is announced that the entire house is sold out for every night during the present week, although some desired seats can still be had for the matinees. "The Christian" commands a tremendous royalty and is probably the most expensive attraction the Grand has presented this season. The third week will be notable for a number of large theater parties from out of town—people who have been unable to secure seats during the past two weeks because of the unusual crowds from Pittsburgh.

Manager E. J. McCullough of the Empire theater presents next week Lincoln J. Carter's scenic production, "The Fast Mail," which comes with the prestige of great success throughout the country. It is claimed that Mr. Carter has brought into effect in "The Fast Mail" a thoroughly consistent railroad story, brimful of comedy and laughable situations. It is said that the climax of each act is wonderfully strong, and that the play increases in interest as it progresses. Strong specialties are announced, and from all accounts there is not a dull moment from the rise to the fall of the curtain.

Charles Dalton, the young English star, in Wilson Barrett's unique drama, "The Sign of the Cross," comes to the Bijou for a return engagement next week, beginning Monday, with a matinee. Both play and player are well known in this city. Mr. Dalton was leading man at the Drury Lane theater, London, the Adelphi theater and many other prominent playhouses in the same city before he came to this country. It is announced that the coming engagement will be as elaborate in the way of magnificent scenic effects and gorgeous costumes as when the piece was first presented at the Lyceum theater, London, where it ran to over two years of continued prosperity.

Lilian Burkhart & Co. is the feature of next week's bill at the Duquesne theater. Miss Burkhart is a Pittsburgh girl and has hosts of friends in the city who have reason to be proud of her brilliant career. Other acts are given by Keno, Welsh and Melrose, comedy acrobats; Mr. and Mrs. Nell Litchfield

Those Who Occupied Boxes at the Opera Yesterday.

FIRST TIER.

LEFT.

Box A.

Box A was not sold for the performances of yesterday afternoon and evening.

Box B.
Afternoon.
MRS. HENRY R. REA.
MRS. J. STUART BROWN.
HENRY W. OLIVER.
LILIAN FORSYTH BROWN.
EDITH A. REA.
STUART BROWN, JR.
HENRY OLIVER REA.
Evening.
MRS. HENRY R. REA.
MRS. B. F. JONES, JR.
MRS. THOMAS M'KEE.
W. H. REA.
WILLIAM J. PATTON.
HENRY R. REA.

Box C.
Afternoon.
MRS. CHARLES HERBERT HALCOMB.
Mrs. M'MILLAN AND MRS. HALCOMB'S CHILDREN.
Evening.
MRS. C. H. HALCOMB.
MRS. M'MILLAN.
C. H. HALCOMB.

Box D.
Afternoon.
Mr. B. F. Jones' box was loaned yesterday afternoon to a little party of friends.
Evening.
MRS. HENRY HILLIARD.
MISS SELLERS.
WILLIS KING.
HENRY HILLIARD.

Box E.
Afternoon.
Mr. and Mrs. Henry Clay Frick have not occupied their box this season. In it yesterday afternoon were Mrs. Albert Childs and Miss Gertrude Childs.
Evening.
The box was again loan to some friends of Mr. and Mrs. Frick.

Box F.
Afternoon.
Mrs. William Thaw entertained a few friends during the matinee.
Evening.
The box was filled with a few friends of Miss Alice Thaw.

RIGHT.

Box A.
Afternoon.
MRS. JOHN P. KNABLE.
MRS. W. P. FRASER.
MRS. WILLIAM FLINN.
MRS. WILLIAM B. RODGERS.
MRS. HENRY WALTON.
Evening.
MISS ELKINS.
MISS COLLARD.
MISS WILSON.
DR. WILLIAM W. VERNER.
PERCY DONNER.
GEORGE ELKINS.

Box B.
Afternoon.
MRS. FRANCIS T. F. LOVEJOY.
MRS. WILLIAM LOVEJOY.
MRS. HARRIET FLEMING.
MISS FLEMING.
MISS HARRIET M. FLEMING.
Evening.
MRS. F. T. F. LOVEJOY.
MADAME LOVEJOY.
MRS. FLEMING.
The MISSES FLEMING.
CLARENCE C. FLEMING.
F. T. LOVEJOY.

Boxes C. and D.
Afternoon.
MISS CLARA AIKEN.
MISS GRACE AIKEN.
MISS ALICE THAW.
MISS ANNA MACBETH.
MISS HELEN MASON.
MISS ELEANOR LOCKHART.
MISS MILDRED KELLY.
MISS MARIAN SELLERS.
MISS GENEVIEVE BUGHMAN.
MISS ISABEL PONTEFRACT.
MISS MARGARETTA WOOD.
MISS MARGUERITE JOHNSON.
Evening.
MRS. BENJAMIN THAW.
MRS. GRIGGS AND MRS. THAW'S CHILDREN.
MRS. WILLIAM WATSON SMITH.
MISS CLARA AIKEN.
MISS BAGGELY.
CARROLL DAVIS.
ROBERT M'NINGEN.
WILLIAM W. SMITH.

Box E.
Afternoon.
MISS REBECCA DARLINGTON.
MISS MADELAINE LAUGHLIN.
MISS ELIZABETH CHAMBERS.
Evening.
Mrs. Darlington loaned her box to Mr. and Mrs. Frederic G. Kay, who occupied it with several friends.

Box F.
Afternoon.
Miss Lauder and a few friends occupied the Lauder box yesterday afternoon.
Evening.
The Misses Brown were with Miss Lauder.

SECOND TIER.

LEFT.

Box G.

Box G was unsold for both performances yesterday.

Box H.
Afternoon.
MRS. VICTOR HERBERT AND HER CHILDREN.
Evening.
MRS. HERBERT AND HER CHILDREN.

Box J.
Afternoon.
MRS. JAMES HAY REED.
MRS. CHARLES LYON.
MRS. HUTCHINSON.
MISS REED.
MADAME LOUISE HOMER.
WALTER CARROLL.
Evening.
MISS AIKEN.
MISS ANNA MACBETH.
WALTER CARROLL.
DAVID AIKEN REED.

Box K.
Afternoon.
MRS. W. E. COREY.
MISS ANN COREY.
MADAME COREY.
Evening.
MRS. W. E. COREY.
MISS COREY.
MADAME COREY.
W. E. COREY.

Box L.
Afternoon.
MRS. H. BRUCE BEATTY.
MRS. O. H. STRONG.
MISS BOPE.
MRS. C. A. M'LOUGH.
O. H. STRONG.
Evening.
MRS. H. BRUCE BEATTY.
MRS. O. H. STRONG.
MRS. C. A. M'LOUGH.
O. H. STRONG.
H. B. BEATTY.

Box M.
Afternoon.
MRS. A. E. W. PAINTER.
G. B. PAINTER.
C. L. PAINTER.
J. PAINTER, JR.
Evening.
MRS. A. E. W. PAINTER.
C. L. PAINTER
G. B. PAINTER.
J. PAINTER, JR.

RIGHT.

Box G.
Afternoon.
MRS. ALEXANDER R. PEACOCK.
MRS. MURRY VERNER.
MRS. VINCENT MILLER.
MISS MILLS.
MISS BACKUS.
A. R. PEACOCK.
Evening.
MRS. PEACOCK.
MISS BACKUS.
MISS MILLS.
MRS. C. A. VERNER.
C. A. VERNER.
A. R. PEACOCK.

Box H.

Box H was unsold for both performances yesterday.

Box J.
Afternoon.
MRS. WILLIAM H. SINGER.
MRS. ALFRED ARUNDEL.
MRS. WILLIAM M. ORR.
MRS. DEXTER J. THAYER.
MISS ARUNDEL.
MISS SINGER.
Evening.
MRS. WILLIAM HENRY SINGER.
MRS. HARTON SINGER.
MISS COLLINS
MISS STEWART.
MISS M'KEE.
MRS. DRAYS.

Box K.
Afternoon.
MRS. W. C. M'CAUSLAND.
MRS. CROUCH.
MRS. HART.
The MISSES DOUTHETT.
Evening.
MRS. W. C. M'CAUSLAND.
MISS CARRIE LOUGHREY.
MRS. CROUCH.
MR. CROUCH.
W. C. M'CAUSLAND.

Box L.
Afternoon.
MRS. CHARLES F. KIEFER.
MISS KIEFER.
MRS. JOHN WILSON.
The MISSES WILSON.
Evening.
MRS. C. F. KIEFER.
MISS KIEFER.
MRS. WILSON.
The MISSES WILSON.
C. F. KIEFER.

Box M.

Box M was not occupied yesterday afternoon or evening.

Society.

MANY diplomats and distinguished visitors have been entertained at "Solitude," but no more brilliant reception has ever been given within its portals than that which Mr. and Mrs. George Westinghouse gave last night in honor of their guest, the Baron von Hollenben, German ambassador to the United States. "Solitude" belied its very name last night. Its doors were thrown wide open and representative men and women of Pittsburgh entered to do honor to the distinguished visitor. The gala appearance of Duquesne garden last night, when "Lohengrin" was sung, was due in some degree to the Westinghouse reception, for a large number of guests appeared for a time at the opera, later driving to "Solitude" for the reception, which commenced at 10 o'clock.

The Baron von Holleben.

The spacious grounds surrounding "Solitude" were as light as day, four powerful lights brilliantly illuminating the entire place. The private Westinghouse conservatories were taxed to provide the elaborate yet exquisite decorations which were placed throughout the house.

The reception was preceded by a dinner at 7 o'clock at which Dr. von Holleben was the guest of honor. It was one of the handsomest ever given at "Solitude." Covers were laid for 32 and the company that surrounded the table was composed of men who have added distinction to the name of Pittsburgh and women who represent its culture and social life. The dinner was served in the large banquet-room with its walls of mahogany and beautiful tapestries. The table was laid with the celebrated gold service, bearing the Westinghouse monogram. The tall golden candelebra bore pink candles covered with dainty pink shades. The golden service dishes stood in beds of pink roses, lilies of the valley and graceful maiden hair ferns. There was a tall centerpiece of roses and lilies of the valley with a border of maiden hair ferns reaching out over the board and pink roses stood in tall gold vases. Corsage bouquets of roses or boutonaires of lilies of the valley lay beside each name card. Heavy white dinner cards bore the monogram of the host and hostess in gold. The deep panelled ceiling of the banquet room was covered with a network of the feathery asparagus with long waving branches hanging above the table. The china used for the dinner was specially designed, bearing the names of well-known artists.

The guests of Mr. and Mrs. Westinghouse at dinner were: Baron von Holleben, Miss Violet Brocklebank, Mr. T. N. Ely, Mrs. T. N. Ely, the Hon. B. F. Jones, Mrs. B. F. Jones, Mr. Charles E. Speer, Mrs. Charles E. Speer, Mr. John B. Jackson, Miss Mary Jackson, Mr. John Caldwell, Mrs. John Caldwell, Judge Joseph Buffington, Mrs. James Hay Reed, Mr. James McCrea, Mr. William R. Thompson, Mrs. William R. Thompson, Miss Gormly, Mr. H. H. Westinghouse, Mrs. George A. Macbeth, Mr. H. H. Eames, Mrs. H. H. Eames, Mrs. W. A. Magee, Mr. John Bindley, Miss Rachel Aiken, Miss Julia M. Harding, Dr. T. G. Simonton, Mr. Calvin Wells, Mr. William Scott, Mrs. William Scott.

The dinner guests composed the large receiving party which assisted Mr. and Mrs. Westinghouse and their guest, Dr. von Holleben. The hostess was gowned in a beautiful costume of white lace over silk. Across the wide reception hall, and screened by towering palms, the musicians played during the dinner and throughout the evening.

A wealth of green transformed the interior of "Solitude." Palms were massed about the great hall and ferns and vines outlined the long winding staircase. In the drawing room was a profusion of pink roses, pink being the dominant color throughout the house. Exquisite pieces of marble appeared in high relief before a background of soft green. In the library were crimson flowers, while roses and lilies appeared in the smaller drawing room. Supper was served in the breakfast room and the billiard room adjoining, whose windows opened into the conservatory with its winding walks between rows of tall tropical plants.

"Solitude" is always brilliantly lighted when its mistress entertains, but last evening more than usual interest was awakened by the unusual lighting of the conservatory with a beautiful and peculiarly-tinted light, calling into play certain shades of color. This new means of lighting the conservatory was little more interesting than the illumination of the grounds by the light which was first used in England on the occasion of King Edward's first levee a few weeks ago, when the court drawing room was more brilliantly lighted than ever in its previous history.

Yesterday morning Dr. von Holleben visited the Westinghouse and Carnegie works. A special train, with Mr. Westinghouse's private car, Glen Eyre attached, left the Homewood station at 10:15 o'clock yesterday morning. The party included Mr. and Mrs. Westinghouse, Dr. von Holleben, Miss Brocklebank, Mr. and Mrs. T. N. Ely of Philadelphia, who are house guests at "Solitude." Miss Mary Speer and Judge Buffington. After making a complete tour of the Westinghouse airbrake works at Wilmerding, luncheon was served in the car, and in the early afternoon the party went to Homestead, where an inspection of the Carnegie mills was made. After completing its visit to the Carnegie works the party boarded the special train, which carried it to the Union station, where carriages were in waiting. A drive over the boulevards and through Schenley park was followed by a visit to the Carnegie Institute under the guidance of Dr. William J. Holland. The party returned to "Solitude" at 5:30 o'clock. This morning Mr. Westinghouse will conduct the German ambassador on a tour through the Westinghouse Electric and Manufacturing Company works at East Pittsburgh. Tonight a dinner will be given in honor of Dr. von Holleben and later this evening he will start for Washington, D. C.

Patronesses for Minstrels.

The complete list of patronesses for the minstrel entertainment for the benefit of the Children's Aid society of Allegheny county is announced. The entertainment will be given in Duquesne garden April 24, and the minstrel program presented by the Mask and Wig club of young men of the East End will be augmented by solos by Mrs. Florence Lancaster Archer.

The patronesses are: Mrs. T. J. Williams, Mrs. D. P. Black, Mrs. T. P. Grey, Mrs. William H. Pfhal, Mrs. William T. Lantz, Mrs. Lee Converse Robens, Mrs. James P. McKinney, Mrs. Robert Frazier, Mrs. J. C. Newmyer, Mrs. O. H. Alderton, Mrs. William Nimick, Mrs. John G. Bryant, Mrs. Martin Procter, Mrs. Leo Reed, Mrs. P. H. Sherrer, Mrs. Adele Shorr, Mrs. Marshall Brown, Mrs. J. Guy McCandless, Mrs. C. D. Armstrong, Mrs. L. Boyd, Mrs. Robert Petty, Mrs. W. W. Wattles, Mrs. H. J. Bailey, Mrs. Wilson A. Shaw, Mrs. John Black, Mrs. William L. Cromlish, Mrs. Thomas M. Miller, Mrs. N. B. Brace, Mrs. Cyrus Gray, Mrs. W. P. Potter, Mrs. James G. Walter, Mrs. H. C. Bair, Mrs. John Franklin Miller, Mrs. William Barclay, Mrs. Columbus Wilson, Miss Mame Sloan, Miss T. K. Ray, Mrs. N. D. Jones, Mrs. T. J. Gillespie, Mrs. John Walker, Mrs. Reed Vincent, Mrs. D. L. Gillespie, Mrs. E. A. Kitzmiller, Mrs. George L. Peabody, Mrs. Alexander Dempster, Mrs. William Paul, Mrs. A. J. Hardy, Mrs. James Wilson, Mrs. George Follansbee, Mrs. M. K. Saulsbury, Mrs. Henry Fulton, Mrs. R. S. Smith, Mrs. W. A. Given, Mrs. Frank Pease, Mrs. William P. Barker, Mrs. R. L. McCully, Mrs. William Flinn, Mrs. Thomas Marshall, Mrs. George Hackett, Miss Bailey, Mrs. A. M. Davis, Mrs. George B. Ewart, Mrs. Samuel West, Mrs. J. J. Moyer, Mrs. James Scott, Mrs. L. S. Rigdon, Mrs. Robert Sterrit, Mrs. Charles J. Authammar, Mrs. Horace E. Grant, Mrs. F. M. Willcock, Mrs. Thomas P. MacMillan, Jr., and Mrs. L. B. Martin.

Manning—Rothenberg.

Miss Estelle Josephine Manning, the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. George Phillip Manning of Crafton, and Oswald P. Rothenberg of Washington city, were married last evening at the residence of the bride's parents. The Rev. J. K. Newton of the East End, a cousin of the bride, performed the ceremony, assisted by the Rev. W. L. Taylor of Allegheny.

The bride was attended by Miss Sara Robinson of Ingram, the maid of honor, Miss Ethel Manning, her sister, and Miss Clara Rothenberg, a sister of the bridegroom, as bridesmaids. The ushers were Charles Manning, a brother of the bride, and Walter Rothenberg, a brother of the bridegroom. The bride was given away by her father, and wore a handsome gown of white renaissance lace over white satin. She wore a diamond and pearl pendant, the gift of the bridegroom, and carried a bouquet of bride's roses. After the reception Mr. and Mrs. Rothenberg left on an eastern wedding tour, and will make their home in Washington.

Pierce—Kranz.

A quiet though pretty wedding of last night was that of Miss Alice Pierce of Sharpsville, Pa., to Mr. William George Kranz of Sharon at the home of the bride's sister, Mrs. MacGilvary Shiras, College avenue, East End. Miss Pierce was unattended. The ceremony was performed by the Rev. Mr. J. McMealey of Waynesburg, Pa. Only the immediate families of the young couple were present. Mr. and Mrs. Kranz left last night on a trip through the east, and will be at home in Sharpsville after May 15.

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SCHOOL SITE CAUSED LIVELY DISCUSSION

Matter Was Brought Up at Meeting of Carnegie Institute Trustees.

PETITION WAS PRESENTED

Oakland Board of Trade Asked for Selection of Forbes Street Site, Which Andrew Carnegie's Intimates Favor.

The location of the proposed polytechnic school aroused a lively discussion at the annual meeting of the board of trustees of the Carnegie institute in the Carnegie building, Fifth avenue, at noon yesterday. A resolution from the Oakland board of trade asking that the institution be located on the 11-acre site at Forbes and Bouquet streets started the debate. It developed that the majority of the board favored the plot between Fifth and Centre avenues, owned by Mrs. Mary E. Schenley. The Schenley site is nearly 50 acres in extent and no price has yet been set on it. The committee has wired Mrs. Schenley, who is now in Europe, asking what she would accept for the property, but has as yet received no reply from her.

The board called on the committee on plan and scope for a report on the matter of site for the new school.

Only Two Sites Considered.

William McConway, chairman of the committee, reported verbally, stating that the only two sites that had been considered by the committee were those at Forbes street and Fifth avenue. He stated that no price had yet been secured from Mrs. Schenley for the Fifth avenue property.

Just then the memorial from the Oakland board of trade came in and a lively discussion ensued. It was argued that the proposed site at Forbes street was not large enough for the purpose, less than five of the 11 acres there being available for building. Mr. Carnegie's intimates have always rather favored the Forbes street site, but the question was not pressed in the meeting yesterday.

The former officers were re-elected to serve for three years more. They are: W. N. Frew, president; Robert Pitcairn, vice president; S. H. Church, secretary, and W. E. Corey, treasurer.

Director Beatty's Report.

The sixth annual report of John W. Beatty, director of fine arts, was presented to the board. Director Beatty enumerated the additions to the collections during the year, the most important of which, he declared, was the collection of reproductions of bronzes found at Pompeii, Herculaneum, Locri and Stabiae. Speaking of last year's exhibition, the report says:

"It is gratifying to report that the sixth annual exhibition was signally successful. An increase of 15 per cent in the attendance during the first two weeks over the same period of the previous year, 20 per cent increase in the sales of the catalogues as compared with the number sold last year, and the interest evidenced by the large attendance indicate its success."

Work in the Schools.

The school work is touched upon very largely in the report. The director says:

A plan has long been contemplated looking to an exceptionally close union of the educational work in the public schools with that being done by the department of fine arts through its permanent collections of paintings and statuary. This plan contemplates, first, the circulation of a complete set of large framed photographs, representing the permanent collections of paintings and sculptures, through the schools of Pittsburgh, for exhibition and study; and, second, the furnishing of sets of these photographs, unframed, to as many schools as desire them, at the cost of printing. At a meeting of the fine arts committee, held November 10, in pursuance of the plan above outlined, the director was authorized to have negatives made for this purpose, and this work is now being done. It is hoped complete sets of photographs will be ready in time for the opening of the schools in the autumn.

MEALS SERVED TO BE A BASIS, APPARENTLY

License Applicants From East Pittsburgh and Braddock Asked to Estimate Number Sold.

East Pittsburgh applicants for license were before the court yesterday and the whole day was required to hear the 22 applicants. A general remonstrance had been filed by the Westinghouse and other large manufacturing concerns, and a great many witnesses were heard in each case.

The remonstrants had secured the services of a local detective agency, whose men had taken meals at the various places and reported on the number served, the quality of the meals, the class of patrons and the accommodations furnished them.

The objections set forth by the remonstrants were chiefly confined to the non-necessity of the places and their locations, as regards convenience to the public.

The only break in the monotony of the proceedings was when Judge Frazer called the attorney who appeared for J. M. Fritzius of the Second ward, Braddock, at his recent hearing, before him:

"We understand," said Judge Frazer, "that since Mr. Fritzius was examined he has been telling in Braddock that, as he was not asked about music in his place he was going to run his electric piano all next year. Unfortunately we did not have the information or he would not have escaped so easily. We want you to tell him that unless he files an affidavit that he has removed the piano and will not put it back, his application will not be considered."

Elek Klein, Braddock avenue and Port Perry road, was confronted by a witness who declared he could not eat the meal served him there.

The witnesses against Luke Lynch, at Braddock and Electric avenues, made a very good case for him, as they testified that it was the best place to get a meal in the town, while the number of diners seen in the place was really more than Lynch claimed.

George B. Miller, Jr., a former detective of Pittsburgh, who formerly had a saloon in East Pittsburgh, is applying for license in Beech street. The court made many inquiries regarding the new place and why he left East Pittsburgh. He said the rent was too high.

Samuel McKim, Braddock, near Electric avenue, had figures showing the exact number of meals and lunches served each month for the past six months, ranging from 4,000 to 9,000 monthly.

At the end of the list letters were read from the managers of the numerous manufactories in East Pittsburgh praying that the number of licensed places be reduced, as the present number was too large and was making the town a very undesirable place and detrimental to the workmen employed by them.

The court will hear East McKeesport, Braddock, Edgewood, Braddock, Elliott and the First and Second wards of Homestead today.

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GATES A MEMBER OF THE SYNDICATE

INTERESTED IN FULLER BID FOR WESTERN MARYLAND.

Baltimore Councils May Pass an Ordinance Declaring All Bids Rejected and Putting the Road Up at Public Sale. The Mayor's Position.

[SPECIAL TELEGRAM TO THE GAZETTE.]

BALTIMORE, April 16.—One of the most important developments that have yet taken place in the Western Maryland railroad deal was the announcement today on high authority that John W. Gates, the well-known railroad operator, is a member of the Fuller syndicate to the extent of $1,000,000, and that he has already paid his first assessment to the syndicate managers. It was likewise announced that all of the Goulds are in the syndicate, their combined interest aggregating $2,000,000. They have also paid their first assessment.

As already paid in, these assessments amount to more than $3,000,000, it is stated. The same authority states that if all the present bids for the city's holdings in the Western Maryland are rejected the Fuller syndicate will not bid again.

Mayor Hayes made public the fact that he will promptly veto the proposed ordinance to reject all bids and put the road up at public auction, because the Fuller syndicate positively will not give $10,000,000 for the road, the upset price to be named in the ordinance. Mr. Hayes said that the syndicate bid represents the very last dollar the Fullers are willing to invest in the city's holdings in the Western Maryland.

Exactly how and why Mr. Gates became financially interested in the Fuller syndicate does not appear on the surface at this stage of the deal. As he is not in the railroad business for his health it is but fair to assume that some big deal is on hand in connection with the Western Maryland and the Fullers. The fact that Mr. Gates is a member of the syndicate has been made known to Mayor Hayes and every member of the city council committee on Western Maryland railroad, and it is being used as a means of getting united action in favor of the Fuller bid.

The committee will meet at City hall tomorrow evening for the purpose of going over the situation. A member of the committee who openly favors the Fuller bid said that it looked very much as though there would be another agreement to disagree so far as any one bid is concerned. The story yesterday telling of an ordinance to reject all of the present bids and directing public sale of the road at an upset price of $10,000,000 was widely commented upon, and there were many who agreed with the proposition.

Those interested in the movement say that the ordinance can be passed by the council if drawn in such a manner that the interests of Baltimore will be properly safeguarded.

The ordinance will be a large one and will be ordered next Monday evening, if it can be prepared by that time. The plan is to introduce the ordinance immediately after the committee on Western Maryland railroad reports all bids to the first branch, and then meet daily until it can be acted upon.

ESTRADA PALMA OUTLINES HIS COURSE IN CUBA

Will Strive to Unite the Political Factions and Develop the Country.

WOULD BE OUR FRIEND

Says That One of the Main Features of His First Message Will Urge Strengthening of Bonds Between Cuba and the United States.

[BY ASSOCIATED PRESS TO THE GAZETTE.]

Washington, D. C., April 16.—President-elect Tomas Estrada Palma of the new Cuban republic passed through here this afternoon en route to Cuba. He will visit a number of Cuban cities and towns, going first to Jibara, thence to Holguin and his native home, Bayamo. From there the president-elect will proceed to Manzanillo and Santiago, and go to Havana about May 9.

The president-elect is suffering from a cold which made talking a serious strain and his health apparently is far from perfect. His first important acts, as the president of the new republic, he announced today will be the formation of a cabinet, and the dispatch of a message to the Cuban congress.

Cabinet Partially Decided On.

He already has settled upon several persons to whom he will tender cabinet portfolios, but he refused to make his selections public, explaining that he wanted to give the matter full consideration after he reached Cuba and to announce the cabinet simultaneously.

One appointment, he admitted, was practically decided upon, viz, that of Gonzalo de Quesada, who represented the Cubans here during the period preceding the Spanish-American war, to be Cuban minister to the United States. He said he had no understanding as to who would represent this government at Havana, but added that he hoped a man of broad judgment, who had in view the most cordial relations between the two countries, would be selected.

His First Message.

The first message of the head of the republic to the Cuban congress will be submitted immediately after he assumes office. Its main features will be recommendations along the following lines: First, all possible measures calculated to unite the various political factions of Cuba so that all elements will work together in the interest of the new government; second, the development of the natural resources of the country, with reciprocal tariff relations with the United States; third, the maintenance of the most friendly relations with the United States government. Mr. Estrada Palma said that the United States dollar would continue to be the standard in Cuba.

Willing to Reciprocate.

He added that the currency and other questions were matters that required mature deliberation and need not be immediately legislated upon. He said he was hopeful of securing a substantial reduction of the tariff on sugar, tobacco and other Cuban products.

The Cuban government would act entirely on a reciprocal basis in making reductions on United States products, and whatever action was taken at Washington along this line would be followed to the same extent by the Havana government. He said this subject presented the most difficult problem among those he foresaw. In response to a direct query he said that the Cuban government would not establish such reciprocal commercial relations with any other government than of the United States.

To Efface Ravages of War.

He said that his efforts would be concentrated on restoring his country to its condition before the ravages of war devastated it. He did not anticipate any serious difficulty or confusion consequent upon the change of regime, as most of the offices now were administered by the Cubans.

The president-elect while waiting for his train to proceed received official notice from Postmaster General Payne that the agreements reached between them in a recent conference had been framed as arranged, and had been forwarded to him through Gov.-Gen. Wood. These agreements are in the form of orders, to be issued separately by the postmaster general of the United States with the approval of President Roosevelt and of the president of Cuba.

Postal Agreement.

They are drawn up in duplicate and simply agree, as stated when the conference was held, to continue the present postal and money order arrangements between the United States and Cuba until a permanent convention shall have been signed. It also has been agreed that if it can be done properly the present military authorities in control in Cuba shall order a sufficient amount of postage supplies of all kinds to meet the needs of the Cuban government until August 1, these supplies to be settled for by the Cuban government in the same manner as the present accounts of the postal service there are now adjusted.

Accompanying the president-elect, beside P. A. C. Smith of New York, the president of the American Mail Steamship Company, who will go only a part of the way, are the following Cubans, who will remain on the island with him: Jose, his son; Gonzalo de Quesada; R. Nargan-as, M. Morales, R. Serra, M. Gonzales and Manuel Ros.

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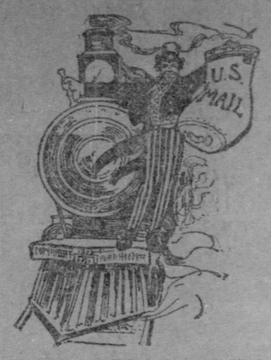

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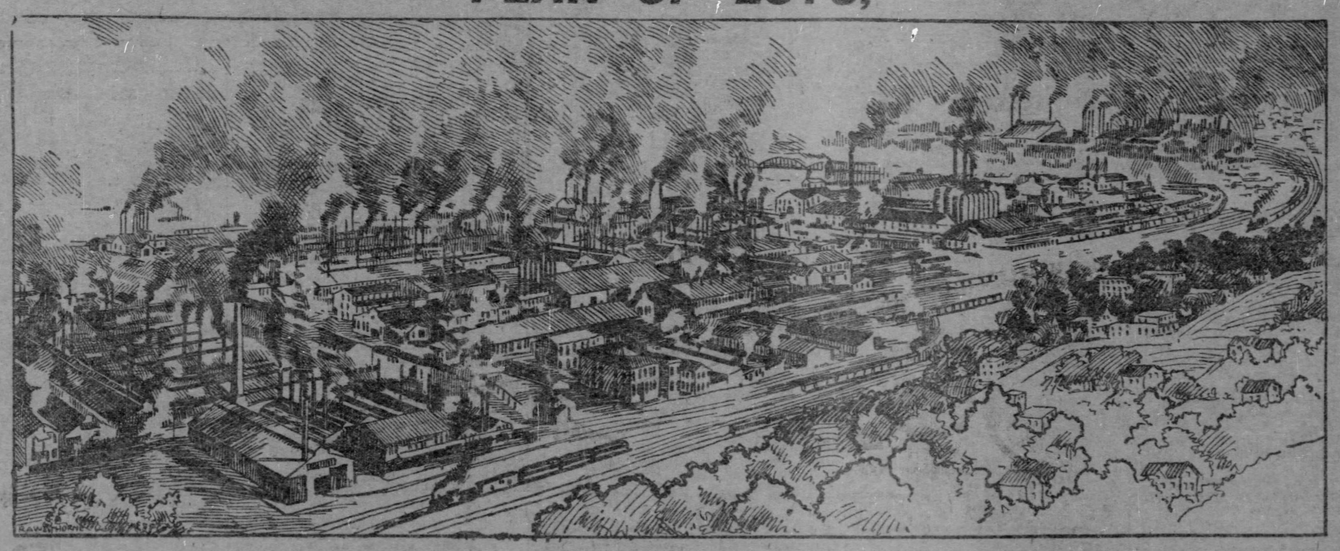

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STEEL BROKERS ARE TRICKING THE RAIL POOL

Rails Are Being Sold at $32 a Ton by Ostracized Middlemen.

HEAVY IRON PRODUCTION

All Furnaces in March Turned Out 1,304,000 Tons. Much More Than in Months Before—Iron Stocks Are at a Minimum.

Iron and steel brokers, with the co-operation of the railroads, are tricking the rail pool on its fundamental principles. The rail production of the country for this year, as often told, has been sold, so far as the mills are concerned. Some of the railroads, however, have bought above their actual requirements, with the result that the railroads and brokers are dividing the margin of the middleman, whom the pool planned to put out of business at its initial and secondary organization.

There was a recent instance in Pittsburgh. One of the leading railroad interests had had delivered to it 5,000 tons of rails, 60 and 70 pounds to the yard, which it did not need.

Offered at an Advance.

A broker in Chicago was offered these rails at a price above that paid, which had been $28 a ton. He immediately set about to get a Pittsburgh customer. A large interest here was surprised by the offer of the rails, but before it could arrange with one of several anxious customers the Chicagoan had himself disposed of the rails at $32 a ton, Pittsburgh, he reported.

A fundamental principle of the associated rail producers is that they sell only to railroads, the contract of sale providing that the purchaser use the rails. Contracts are not always adhered to, but it is only in a year like this, when it will benefit a railroad which will anticipate the rail scarcity to buy above its requirements and earn a nice profit by dealing with a contemporary through a broker.

Producers Sold Out.

The associated rail producers have sold practically all of their product for the year and will likely have to carry over into the next year a material quantity of business. No prices are being quoted for next year's delivery, however. It is believed that the United States Steel Corporation will exercise its conservative price policy to the extent of holding the price to or near the present figure of $28 a ton on standard sections.

Iron production last month was well above that of the two months before, in which the furnaces were working under the handicap of a greater shortage. The March production of all coke iron furnaces of the country was 1,304,000 tons; February, 1,100,000, and January, 1,207,000. February importation of pig iron amounted to over 8,000 tons from Great Britain, Germany and other countries.

Still in Need of Iron.

The United States Steel Corporation after placing its recent order for 225,000 tons for delivery in the last quarter of this year and the first of next year, found that it required a substantial additional amount of iron for third quarter use.

The domestic furnaces, filled with orders as they are, could not supply it. Inquiries were made abroad for about 50,000 tons with the result that it was found that the iron would cost $22 a ton laid down in Pittsburgh. The order, it is understood, has not yet been placed.

The conservative and influential producers of pig iron are working to prevent artificial values. There was a check on the rising prices in the placing of the steel corporation order for 225,000 tons at $16.50 the ton.

Prices Not Up to Expectation.

Prices on other business were higher at the same time and still higher rates were anticipated this week. On actual transactions these prices were not as high as expected. Sales of Bessemer pig iron were made at about 25 cents a ton above those of last week. Anxiety of foundry consumers led to prices fully $1.50 the ton higher than the week before, but this was only brought out in a small transaction.

Some of the iron producers are in for higher prices but the controlling element will probably hold prices in check.

Car service continues to improve. Yesterday was an off day for coke deliveries to the furnaces, but as a general thing the car service has vastly improved.

Service Nearly Normal.

In three weeks past the service has been nearly normal. However, there are no stocks of coke and other raw material at the furnaces.

In finished iron and steel materials the past seven days was notable for a lull, a grateful condition to the mills, which have been forced to reject important orders for deliveries as far ahead as six months. Some of the plate mills have business ahead for six weeks and two months and others for four or five months.

Prices on prompt coke are holding at about $2.50 the ton for furnace and $2.75 for foundry coke. The steel corporation interest still has a tremendous stock piled in the Connellsville field, the result of the car shortage, while the buyers are clamoring to receive it.

Week's Pig Iron Sales.

Bessemer pig iron sales in the past week amounted to about 6,000 tons in odd small lots for deliveries running from June to October. The prices on this business were from $18.25 to $19 the ton at the furnaces. Eight hundred tons of Bessemer were reported sold for prompt shipment at a higher price.

Few sales of foundry iron were made in the past seven days. One sale of 200 tons of No. 2 for the last half delivery was made at $21.50 the ton.

A lot of southern white iron was sold at $18 the ton, Pittsburgh.

Forge iron amounting to 1,600 tons was sold at $19.25 the ton, delivered here. Delivery is specified within the next six months and the price is about $1 a ton over those of transactions in the week before.

Bessemer Billets at $31.

Bessemer billets in lots of from 200 to 1,000 tons for delivery up to October were sold in the past seven days at prices ranging from $31 to $31.50 a ton, at the producing mills. Small lots of open hearth billets were sold at $34 the ton at maker's mills.

Domestic ferro manganese is still being quoted at $52.50 the ton, Pittsburgh, while the foreign product is offered here at $50 the ton.

The steel rod producers have a large business ahead. Jones & Laughlins, Limited, have temporarily put the production of rods. Their mills heretofore devoted to this line are now producing small rounds and steel bars.

Prices of Rods Established.

The price of rods is practically established at $37 a ton, with most of the heavy contracts placed. Important new business might bring a slightly lower price.

Rail prices remain as follows. For 200-ton and larger lots in standard sections, $28 a ton; $30 for carlots and $32 for less than carlots; $35 for rails of 30, 40 and 45 pounds to the yard; $36, 25-pound; $37, 20-pound; $38, 16-pound and $40 for 12-pound. Girder rails and high T rails for traction use are selling at about $38 a ton at mills.

While most of the associated producers of bar iron are still holding the price at $1.80 a 100 pounds, the material is available in Pittsburgh at $1.70 a 100 pounds.

Muck Bar Still at $32.

Odd lots of muck bar continue to bring a price of $32 the ton.

With practically all of the heavy agricultural business in steel bars placed some weeks ago, comparatively little was done here in the week past, the aggregate new business coming to Pittsburgh producers being about 5,000 tons. The price is $1.60 the 100 pounds on Bessemer and $2 a ton more on open hearth steel bars.

Structural producers also experienced an off week in sales, the aggregate new business here being about 3,600 tons. Prices are: $1.60 for 100 pounds on beams, channels, angles and zees; tees, $1.65 for 100 pounds; beams from 15 to 24 inches, $1.50 for 100 pounds.

10,000 Tons of Plates.

Consumers of plates bought about 10,000 tons in Pittsburgh in the week past. Prices are: Tank plates, $1.60 for 100 pounds for plates up to 100 inches in width, and 5c extra 100 pounds for wide sizes; flange plates, $1.70 for 100 pounds; stillbottom steel, $1.90 for 100 pounds; locomotive fireboxes, not less than $2 higher; 2-10-inch plates, $1 a ton extra; gauged Nos. 8 and 9, $2 a ton extra; circles, $1.80 for 100 pounds.

The smaller consumers of skelp are buying heavily. The price on iron skelp is from $1.90 to $1.95 the 100 pounds and $2 more for narrow sizes. Steel skelp is from $1.80 to $1.85 for 100 pounds.

Tin Plate Prices Still Rule.

The American Tin Plate Company continues to take new business at $4 the 100-pound box at mills for second and third quarter delivery.

While the sheet mills have heavy contracts running in deliveries from three to six months and longer, they still have room for much new business. The price is based on $3.10 for 100 pounds in the No. 24 gauge for 500-bundle and larger lots. Discounts on galvanized sheets continue from 70 and 5 to 70 and 10 per cent off the list price.

Steel hoops are selling at $1.90 the 100 pounds.

The recently re-affirmed quotations on cold-rolled shafting at 45 per cent off in less than car and 50 per cent off in car and larger lots, continue.

Merchant and Crucible Steel.

Finer merchant and crucible steel prices remain as follows: Tire steel, $1.80 for 100 pounds; toe calk, $2.25; spring steel, $2.25; plow slabs, $2.25; rolled lay steel, $2.60 to $2.75; tool steel, $7 and upward, according to quality.

The scarcity of pig iron has has further increased the demand for scrap of which fully 10,000 tons was sold by Pittsburgh dealers in the past week. Prices are: Heavy steel melting stock, $18.50 to $19 a ton; heavy cast scrap, $17 to $17.50; No. 1 wrought scrap, $20 to $21; borings, $11 to $11.50; turnings, $14 to $15; steel rails, $19; iron rails, $24.

Prices on Hardware.

Hardware prices remain as follows: Carlots and larger amounts of wire nails to jobbers, $2.05 a keg; $2.10 in less lots and $2.20 out of stock to retailers; No. 9 plain wire, $2.05 for 100 pounds to jobbers; $2.10 in carlots; $2.20 in less than car lots; No. 9 galvanized wire, $2.90 in car lots to jobbers and $2.60 in lesser lots. cut nails are $2.05 in car lots and $2 in heavy orders to jobbers; steel horseshoes are $2.25 for 100-pound kegs and iron $3.60; carriage bolts, 60 and 10 and 5 per cent off to jobbers; machine bolts, 65 and 10 and 2½ per cent off list.

The National Tube Company has secured an order for 120 miles of pipe to be run from West Virginia property to Toledo, O., for the Standard Oil Company.

Steel and Wrought Iron Pipe.

Discounts on steel and wrought iron pipe in car load lots to consumers remain as follows:

MERCHANT PIPE.	Black.	Galvd.
¼ to ⅜ inch and 2 to 12 inch	0	47
½ to 10 inch	67½	55
CASING—RANDOM LENGTHS.	S. & S.	I. J.
2 and 3 inch	58	58½
3½ and 4 inch	63	59
4½ and 12 inch	65	61½
CASING—CUT LENGTHS.	S. & S.	I. J.
2 and 3 inch	53½	60
2½ and 4 inch	62½	67½
BOILER TUBES.	Steel.	Iron.
1¾ to 2¼ inch	60	48
2½ to 12 inch	56	53

(Jobbers get prices slightly lower.)

Fire in Assay Office.

NEW YORK, April 16.—Thirty-one million dollars in silver bullion in the assay office, at No. 30 Wall street, has been in danger of being melted by a fire which burned in one of the basements for two hours. None but the employes knew of the fire and they finally overcame it without assistance.

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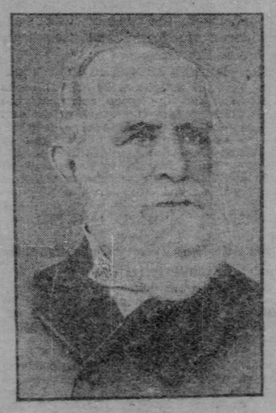
SPEAKERS WENT AFTER POLICY IN MANILA SCHOOLS

Denounced It as Practical Turning Over of Pupils to Catholic Teachings.

HOT DISCUSSION ENSUED

Committee on New Territory of Alliance of Reformed and Presbyterian Churches Handed in Report Favoring Government Plan.

The first session of the executive committee of the Alliance of the Reformed and Presbyterian churches opened here yesterday morning in the First United Presbyterian church, Oakland. A hot discussion took place



DR. E. V. GERHART, Of Lancaster, Pa., Presides at This Morning's Session.

over the government's policy in the schools of Manila and several speakers roundly denounced it. There were 50 members present, the Rev. Dr. Ralph P. Kerr of Richmond, Va., presiding. As stated heretofore in The Gazette, the purpose of the alliance is to foster a kindlier spirit and united effort among Pan-Presbyterians the world over.

The first council was held in Edinburgh, Scotland, in 1877, and since that there have been meetings every four years. The Rev. Dr. W. J. Reid, pastor of the First church, welcomed the commission yesterday morning in a few pleasant words.

The greater part of the morning session was given to routine work. The commission voted unanimously in recommending the western section of the alliance to cooperate with the Rev. Dr. Matthews of London, while he is visiting here next month. Dr. Matthews is general secretary of the general alliance. The report of the treasurer, the Hon. Frank Hipple of Philadelphia, was then read and adopted.

Among the interesting papers read was that of the Rev. Dr. J. I. Good of Reading, Pa., on "Continental Churches."

"The European continent," he said, "is the center of Christianity. It is of especial interest to us as the birthplace of Protestantism. This alliance exists to call our attention to the unoccupied fields. Europe is this unoccupied field. Europe is not Protestant. France, Spain, Italy and Austria-Hungary are still Catholic. What will we do for the regeneration of Europe? This is the problem for the alliance. There are thousands of members of the various Protestant bodies visiting the continent every year. These need churches. The time has come when we must do more than deliberate and advise."

The Rev. Dr. A. W. Fitzer led the devotional services in the afternoon.

At this session a spirited discussion followed the report of the committee on "New Territory," read by Dr. W. W. Radcliffe. The report embraced an outline of the mission work in the Philippines, the last clause dealing with Manila schools. After stating the policy of the United States with reference to religious training in the schools the report of the committee approved the plan of the government.

The Rev. Dr. D. J. Burrell of New York dissented vigorously, however, from some of the clauses, and declared he would never assent to its adoption as long as it contained a sentence that implied a toleration of the present school system in the Philippines.

Denounced Government's Policy.

"The plan is nothing more nor less," he declared, "than that established in Minnesota, that really gives the public schools to Catholics to use as parochial schools and to teach Romanism." Dr. Radcliffe endeavored to assure Dr. Burrell that this argument was misleading, but the latter refused to see it in any light but as identical with laws now in force in some parts of Minnesota. Gen. R. E. Prime, Dr. Burrell and others then made a vigorous onslaught on the government policy. The latter said that "congress has sat on the Philippine egg for six months and accomplished nothing." The result was the referring of this report back to the committee. An interesting address was made by the Rev. Dr. John Prugh on "Co-operation in Foreign Fields."

Golden Age of Mission Work.

"The real work of missions in all its vast extent," he said, "is to be done in this golden age, this glorious twentieth century. Yet in the last quarter of the last century there were furnished most gratifying evidences of the beneficent results of co-operation in foreign missions. When the churches of this alliance had undertaken their share of the work of evangelizing Japan the vastness of the enterprise, the smallness of the forces at hand and the bewilderment of the heathen people at our denominational divisions brought about that splendid arrangement by which there was to be no frittering away of resources, no overlapping, no waste of men and means."

REV. DR. J. B. DRURY, Of New Brunswick, N. J., Editor Christian Intelligencer, Religious Organ Reformed (Dutch) Church in America.

IN THE OIL FIELDS

The credit balance market, after remaining stationary at $1.15 for an even four months, was advanced at the opening yesterday morning to $1.20. The purchasing agencies' quotations now for credit balances are as follows: Pennsylvania, $1.20; North Lima, 88c; South Lima and Indiana, 83c. The advance, if pushed along, will have a stimulative effect on field work. There is considerable tight territory that can be operated at a profit on a higher market than has prevailed since last December.

In the Beallsville district, Lewis county, the Southern Oil Company has completed its No. 4 on the J. C. Collins farm and has a 50-barrel producer. The same company has completed its test well on the Lita Beall farm and has a duster in the sands. In the same district the South Penn Oil Company has completed its No. 1 on the D. E. Ramsburg farm and has a 20-barrel pumper.

In the Sand Fork district the South Penn has completed its No. 15 on the James Mullady farm and has a 50-barrel producer.

West of Salem, Harrison county, the same company has drilled in its test well on the C. A. Hurst farm and has a show for a 50-barrel producer. The well is still drilling.

Northeast of Salem the South Penn Oil Company has completed its test well on the J. E. Gordon sand. The Federal Oil Company has completed its No. 6 on the Carl Bailey farm and has a duster in the Gordon sand.

In the Fish creek district, Wetzel county, the South Penn Oil Company has drilled its No. 2 on the A. E. Brast farm through the sirax and Gordon and has a duster in the lower formation. It is a fair gasser in the strax.

In the Fish creek district, Marshall county, the South Penn Oil Company has completed and shot its No. 2 on the Bonar heirs' farm. It failed to respond.

In the Eureka district, Pleasants county, G. Reusing & Co. have completed their No. 3 on the S. Hammett farm and have a duster in the Cow Run sand. G. A. B. Edwards & Co. have completed their No. 5 on the Wallace heirs' farm and have a 5-barrel pumper in the same formation.

On Sugar creek, Union district, Ellsworth & Davis have completed their test well on the John Wagner 150 acres and have a show for a 25-barrel producer in the Cow Run sand. The Shawno Oil Company has completed its test well on the P. Davis farm and has a duster in the Cow Run sand.

On the Ohio side, in the Rinards Mills district, Washington county, the Carter Oil Company's No. 1 on the John Cline farm is holding up at 400 barrels a day.

On Wolf creek, Morgan county, Chas. S. Camering & Co. have completed their No. 6 on the J. C. Stofer farm and have a small pumper. The same company's No. 5 on the Rowland farm has declined to 200 barrels a day.

In the same district, Eliza Ross has completed No. 4 on the Chas. Bachelor farm and has a duster. Scott & Co. have completed their test well on the Lizzie Blind farm and have a duster.

In the Marietta district, Washington county, the Benedict Farm Oil Company has completed its No. 6 on the F. Benedict farm, and after shooting it will have a 20-barrel producer.

In the Port Homer district, M. C. DeSelles has completed and shot No. 3 on his own farm and has a 10-barrel pumper.

In the Lecsville development, in Beaver county, Pa., Snyder & Co. have put their No. 2 on the Baker heirs' farm to pumping, and the well produced 100 barrels the 24 hours ending at 7 o'clock yesterday morning.

Shipments and Runs.

Shipments and runs of the Pennsylvania, Ohio and Indiana fields, up to and including April 15:

PENNSYLVANIA OIL.

SHIPMENTS.		RUNS.	
April 15	108,085	April 15	105,389
Previously	1,505,679	Previously	1,004,848
Total	1,613,725	Total	1,109,743
Daily average	107,582	Daily average	71,316

LIMA OIL.

SHIPMENTS.		RUNS.	
April 15	40,052	April 15	63,246
Previously	570,240	Previously	704,041
Total	610,292	Total	767,305
Daily average	40,686	Daily average	51,154

The Oil Market.

The Standard Oil Company's price for credit balances was advanced 5c yesterday to $1.20. The Producers and Refiners also paid $1.20.

OIL CITY, April 16.—Credit balances, $1.20. Certificates, no bid.

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POCKET KNIFE Best steel Stag handle 140 BANDS
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KNIVES & FORKS 6 Each Shell design 1000 BANDS
SUGAR SPOON Shell design 120 BANDS
SIX TABLESPOONS Shell design 300 BANDS
SIX TEASPOONS Shell design 300 BANDS
BUTTER KNIFE Shell design 120 BANDS
DRESS SUIT CASE Leather 14" wide 6" deep 24" long 2000 BANDS
HAND BAG Alligator 18" In Leather Lined 2400 BANDS
BASE BALL League 200 BANDS
SAFETY RAZOR AND STROP 500 BANDS
CARVERS Buckhorn handles 400 BANDS
SCISSORS 4½ IN 50 BANDS
POCKET KNIFE Rosewood handle 50 BANDS
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KNIVES & FORKS Six each Steel - Buckhorn handles 500 BANDS
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TRUNK Canvas Covered 3000 BANDS
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Baseball Schedule Today.
Pittsburgh at St. Louis.
Philadelphia at New York.
Boston at Brooklyn.
Chicago at Cincinnati.

By JAMES M. NELLIS,
Staff Correspondent.

St. Louis, Mo., April 16.—The Pirate decks have been cleared for action, and the crew is behind the guns ready for the opening battle of the National league campaign for 1902.

Capt. Clarke is in command, and has seen to it that his men are trained and ready for any old kind of a fight that Patsy Donovan's outfit can put up.

The tug of war starts at the league grounds at 3:30 tomorrow afternoon and the Mound City weather, forecaster has promised clear sky and warm sun. Manager Clarke and his champions arrived here shortly after 7 o'clock this morning and took up quarters at the Southern hotel, where the players spent the day enjoying a well merited rest.

Players Worked Hard.

The team has been on the road the best part of a week, stacking up against minor league aggregations, and while it was in a measure easy to secure victories yet the players worked just as hard as though they were in championship contests.

The only players not called upon to exert themselves were the pitchers, who were cautioned to save their arms. This and the long railroad journeys were enough to tire out the boys so that a day's rest before starting after another pennant was welcome to all.

At 10 o'clock this morning Manager Clarke summoned all of the players to his room and handed each one a new traveling uniform, which included shirt, pants, stockings, cap, belt and coat. This uniform is identical with the one worn last season and is of a pearl gray.

Leach Registers His Kick.

The caps are blue with a white P embroidered on the front, and the stockings are red and dark blue striped, which are the Pittsburgh club colors. The players were all satisfied with the outfits except Tommy Leach, who sent in about 15 different sets of measurement blanks and who sweetly his knickerbockers would fit Honus Wagner.

In the afternoon, at 2 o'clock, after the players had been given sufficient time to digest their dinners, they were again summoned to Manager Clarke's room, where one of those heart-to-heart talks was indulged in.

Manager Clarke's Lecture.

Manager Clarke had his little speech down pat, and went through it without the least sign of a break. He started in by telling the players that they were about to start out on another pennant race and that none of them probably had an idea that it would be easy sailing this year.

He warned them against over-confidence and all he asked was the same spirit shown last season. He said the best way to win a pennant was to go right in and win games from the start. The Pittsburgh pubic, he said, looked for a winner and he wanted to furnish one. Jack O'Connor and Chief Zimmer chipped in a few encouraging words and the pow-wow, or "Gus Schmedt" as the players called it, was at an end.

Poole and Merritt Sent Home.

It was expected that Catcher Harry Smith, who had been left at Hot Springs, would join the team here today, but Manager Clarke got word from him that he would leave the Springs tonight and be on hand ready for business tomorrow. Jimmy Burke, the extra third baseman, who has been resting at his home here for a week, joined the team on its arrival today.

Manager Clarke decided that he could not use more than five pitchers in the series here and Poole and Merritt were ordered home. This pair of twirlers left for Pittsburgh tonight and will do practice work at Exposition park until the team's return on Monday next.

Parade Is Scheduled.

The season here is to be ushered in with a street parade of both teams in carriages with a brass band accompaniment. This parade takes place in the morning and promises to be a swell affair. Manager Donovan called on the Pirates this afternoon and shook hands with all the boys. Patsy says he has a promising lot of youngsters, but as yet they lack condition. This is particularly true of his pitchers, and only two of them, Yerkes and Wicker, are in anything like playing form.

Manager Clarke made his final decision this afternoon as to how he would play his team and the old line-up that won the pennant for Pittsburgh last year will be found on duty.

The Pirates leaders had intended working Conroy at short and Wagner in middle field, but at the last minute he went back to the old guard.

Team's Make-Up Today.

The make-up and batting order of the team today will be as follows:

Pittsburgh.—Davis, r.; Clarke, l.; Beaumont, m.; Wagner, ss.; Bransfield, 1b.; Ritchey, 2b.; Leach, 3b.; O'Connor, c.; Leever or Phillippi, p.

St. Louis.—Ferrell or Brashear, 2b.; Barclay, l.; Hartman, 3b.; Smoot, m.; Krauger, ss.; Donovan, r.; Hazelton, 1b.; Ryan, c.; Yerkes or Wicker, p.

President Dreyfuss of the Pirates, accompanied by a party of Pittsburghers, is booked to arrive here in the morning. Frank De Hass Robison, owner of the Cardinals, says he is determined to enter suit against some of the men who jumped his team, but he does not include Jesse Burkett in the list. Mr. Robison says he would not take Burkett back at any price.

Schenley Park Secured.

The Western university committee in charge of the intercollegiate field and track meet to be held here yesterday obtained from Director of Public Works Guy McCandless the permit for the use of Schenley park on Decoration day for the meet.

Among the Amateurs.

The C. M. Kellers would like to hear from Edna A. C., Columbia A. C., Fisher A. C., Foster A. C., Our Boy reserves, Lawndale, Economy and Sturgeon A. C. Address J. Richey, 1412 Lake street, Allegheny.

The Pittsburgh college reserves lost to the Allegheny high school team yesterday afternoon on the bluff on the score of 5 to 1. Both teams played good ball. Hayes, Hughes and James deserve special mention for their good work.

The Bereks, A. C. of Allentown has a few open dates and would like to hear from the managers of the following teams: Glassport, Tarentum, Claysville, Fremont and Conaposo. Address Tom Graf, corner Knox avenue and Royal street, Pittsburgh.

WASH.-JEFF. COLLEGE SPRINTERS.

ANDREW E. SLOAN
of Pittsburgh, to Contest in Mile Relay at Philadelphia.

SAMUEL FOSTER
of McKeesport, to Contest in Two-Mile Relay at Philadelphia.

YOUNG INSTRUCTS LEAGUE UMPIRES

IMPOSITION OF FINES SUSPENDED UNTIL FURTHER NOTICE.

Holders of the Indicator Are Given Power to Remove Players or Managers from Games and Must Wire Reports of All Such Cases.

[BY ASSOCIATED PRESS TO THE GAZETTE.]

WASHINGTON, D. C., April 16.—N. E. Young, secretary of the executive board of the National baseball league, has issued the following instructions to umpires:

The office of president of the National league has been abolished for the season of 1902 and an executive board invested with full authority to act has been formed for the purpose of conducting the business of the league, and its members are A. H. Soden of Boston, James A. Hart of Chicago, and John T. Brush (chairman) of Indianapolis. N. E. Young is secretary, and the offices of the league are to be located in New York.

All reports of umpires that formerly were required to be sent to the president of the league hereafter are to be forwarded to the secretary, except such reports as may be specially arranged to go to the chairman of the board, and in all such instances due notice will be given.

Fines Are Suspended.

The imposition of fines upon players and managers for violation of rules as provided in the playing rules is suspended until further notice, and in lieu thereof a removal from the game or from the game and field is substituted, and in every instance where a removal from the field occurs a telegraphic report containing the facts and a brief report of the cause must be promptly sent to the secretary, and whenever in the judgment of the umpire the player deserves a longer period than one day he shall recommend it. The telegraphic report shall be followed by a detailed mail report of all violations of the rules and the penalties imposed.

You are the absolute master of the field from the beginning to the termination of the game. You are invested with full authority to order any player, captain or manager to do or omit to do any act which you may deem necessary to maintain your dignity and compel respect from the players and spectators.

The Umpire's Responsibility.

The entire responsibility of presenting the game in a sportsmanlike manner and the elimination of ungentlemanly conduct devolves upon you. If you succeed you will be indorsed; if you fail you will be condemned. Your attention is called especially to rules 39 and 60.

Make all decisions as you see them. Never attempt to "even up" after having made a mistake. Be strict in what may seem to be trivial matters, thereby "nipping in the bud" trouble before it fully develops. Do not in any case temporize with a rule breaker.

Rules Must Be Observed.

Rule 5 must be observed in spirit and letter, and all violations must be reported to the secretary of the league.

Coachers have been a disturbing element to the umpire. Rule 53 provides just what their and what your duties are. These rules are mandatory and not discretionary. If you allow them to be violated you become the chief culprit and do not properly perform the duties of your position.

Bear in mind that you are not responsible for the creation of the rules or the penalties prescribed for them. The umpire who enforces the rules maintains his dignity and compels respect, gives the fullest satisfaction to both teams and to the spectators. Compel respect from all and your task will be an easy one.

N. E. YOUNG, Secretary.
A. H. SODEN,
JAMES A. HART,
J. T. BRUSH,
Executive Board.

LYNE'S NARROW ESCAPE.

Josette Threw His Jockey and He Came Near Being Seriously Injured.

CHICAGO, April 16.—Jockey Lyne, signed by John A. Drake at a salary said to be $10,000 a year, had a narrow escape from serious injury at Lakeside track today. Josette, Lyne's mount in the second race, acted badly at the post and finally reared up and fell over a low fence into a ditch 10 feet deep.

Lyne, seeing his danger in time to jump, escaped injury. The filly was finally got back on the track and surprised everybody by finishing the race a fair third. Our Sessie winning and Belle Graham getting place.

Gusto, at 40 to 1, tried to duplicate Josette's performance in the third race. After throwing Jockey Jackson and running about the track for 10 minutes before he could be caught, he finished second to Scorpio. Weather clear; track fair. Summaries:

First race, 5½ furlongs—Haidee, 108, Blake, 8 to 5, won; Ida V., 106, Dominick, 6 to 1, second; Rival Dare, 106, Hope, 3 to 1, third. Time, 1:09. Lady Idris, Natural Gas, Lissome, Whitcomb, Deusterswivel, Beauty Book, Ella R. and Siafca also ran.

Second race, 4 furlongs—Our Bessie, 110; Rice, 20 to 1, won; Belle Graham, 120, Dominick, 12 to 1, second; Josette, 110, Lyne, 6 to 5, third. Time, :49 2-5. Jehemiisus, Phile, Miss Shamrock, Silver Fringe, Diamond May, Lauri F. M., Floria and Purcdale also ran.

Third race, 6½ furlongs—Scorpio, 111, Dominick, 6 to 5, won; Gusto, 109, L. A. Jackson, 40 to 1, second; Pompino, 109, Bassinger, 20 to 1, third. Time, 1:26 2-5. R. G. Fox, Lady Curzon, Fossart, Boundless and Miss Confab also ran.

Fourth race, 6 furlongs—Otis, 103, Singleton, even, won; Hindoo, 103, W. Waldo, 10 to 1, second; Owego, 103, Lyne, 9 to 2, third. Time, 1:13 4-5. Dandola, John A. Clarke, Lingo, St. Tammany and Balm of Gilead also ran.

Fifth race mile and sixteenth—Red Apple, 109, Rice, 8 to 1, won; Donator, 102, Otis, 3 to 2, second; Lavator, 102, Jackson, 10 to 1, third. Time, 1:45 2-5. Chancery, Tez Gown and Serilla also ran.

Sixth race, 1 mile, selling—Siphon, 108, Dominick, 2½ to 1, won; Fencer, 125, Blake, 6 to 1, second; Miss Liza, 120, R. Narvaez, 6 to 1, third. Time, 1:45 1-5. Laspara, Dodis S., Approved, Trauer, Homage and Guatsma also ran.

Entries for Thursday:

First race, 7 furlongs, selling—Maroon, 103; Carl Kahler, 112; Schwalbe, Tommy Foster, 99; Ecome, 114; Fidel Youlin, 102; Moroni, 107; Cenwor, 109.

Second race, nine-sixteenths mile—Lady Gallantry, 100; Sirce, Computation, 118; North Pole, 109; Overlace, 105.

Third race, mile and sixteenth—Digby Bell, 92; Dr. Stephens, Henry of Franklamar, Maisy, 101; Linago, 110; Linden Hills, 105.

Fourth race, ½ mile, selling—Dr. Moody, Olivito, 105; S. Poplar, 100; Mr. Gurney, Modern, Benn G., 103, Mauser, 108; Brookston, 112; Permant, 108, Alfranc, 107.

Fifth race, mile and 70 yards—Illowaho, 100; Leonia, 99; Ecome, 101; Water Alone, Prairie Dog, 108; Kingstelle, 100, Chickadee, 97; Star Gazer, 110.

Sixth race, mile and 7 yards—Fox Bard, Radiant Heat, Sir Gaite, 106; Jim W., Ditty, 104; Miss Liza, 101; Darlene, 95; Teucer, 109; Siren Song, 99; Little Tim, 102.

CORBETT MATCHED TO FIGHT JEFF

EX-CHAMPION NOTIFIED THAT TERM SHAD BEEN AGREED ON.

Fight Will Take Place Next September, Probably in San Francisco—Corbett Closed Theatrical Engagement and Starts to Train for the Mill.

[SPECIAL TELEGRAM TO THE GAZETTE.]

NEW YORK, April 16.—Jim Corbett has been matched to fight James J. Jeffries for the heavyweight championship of the world next September.

Corbett's brother Harry, the well-known San Francisco sporting man, so notified the ex-champion today by wire. He said that the match was as good as clinched, only the minor points remaining to be negotiated upon before articles were signed and forfeits posted.

Corbett has made arrangements to go to San Francisco today to try and induce Jeffries to meet him, but the wire from his brother advised him that such a step was unnecessary, and to start training for the contest at once.

The ex-champion immediately made arrangements to follow this advice. For the next two weeks he will do light work in Woods gymnasium and will then go to Bayside, L. I., where he recently built a house, gather about him a corps of trainers and sparring partners and settle down to hard work.

Corbett's last battle with Jeffries at Coney Island, when "Gentleman Jim" outpointed the champion 10 to 1, had the championship within his grasp and was then put out by a chance blow in the twenty-third round, is still fresh in the minds of ring followers as one of the prettiest contests ever seen in a Marquis of Queensbury ring.

Two more rounds, and it was 10 to 1 that Corbett would have received the decision.

Corbett has closed his theatrical engagement and he says that there is absolutely nothing in the way of his preparations for a battle with Jeffries.

Dreyfuss Goes to St. Louis.

President Barney Dreyfuss of the Pittsburgh baseball team left at 9:15 o'clock last night for St. Louis, where the champions open the National league season this afternoon. Secretary Pulliam and Pitchers Merritt and Poole will leave tonight for Pittsburgh to prepare for the opening of the local season next Tuesday.

Bucknell Lost to Lafayette.

LEWISBURG, PA., April 16.—(Special.)—Bucknell outbatted Lafayette here today, but lost on errors. Score:

	R.	H.	E.
Lafayette	0	0	2
Bucknell	0	4	6

Batteries—Pritchard and Irwin; Vell and Anderson.

Yesterday's Baseball Results.

At Philadelphia—Philadelphia (American) 16, Villanova college 2.

At Philadelphia—Philadelphia (National) 12, College of the City of New York 0.

At Philadelphia—University of Pennsylvania 18, Ursulinus College 2.

At Albion, Mich.—University of Michigan 8, Albion 2.

Contract Jumper Indicted.

TOLEDO, O., April 16.—Addie Joss, the ball pitcher who jumped a Toledo contract and signed with the Cleveland team, has been indicted for receiving money under false pretense. He received $50 advance money from Manager Strobel of the Toledo team.

McClelland Leaves for Toronto.

Jack McClelland and his manager, Billy Corcoran, left last night for Toronto, Can., where McClelland will complete his training for his fight with Ryan in that Canadian city on Saturday night. The Pittsburger appears in the best of condition and believes he will have an easy victory.

IGNORANCE WAS BLISS.

Ocean Steamship Had Serious Fire, but Passengers Didn't Know It Until Port Was Reached.

NEW YORK, April 16.—Directed by officers of the steamship Marco Mindhetti, the crew of the steamer took from her hold today a great quantity of burned baggage belonging to the 835 steerage passengers who debarked from the vessel yesterday on her arrival. The taking out of the baggage was the first intimation the passengers had that their lives had been in peril from fire when one day out of Naples, from which port the steamship sailed March 23.

Some hay was on fire in one of the forward compartments of the hold. The passengers saw the smoke, but were told the ship was being fumigated. This satisfied them, and the officers and crew kept the real cause secret. The fire burned 18 hours before it was brought under control. Today a representative of the steamship company was waiting on the pier with a satchel full of money and as each immigrant who had suffered loss through the fire presented his claim he was paid. The loss on baggage was $3,500, and much more on the steamer.

CANDLING WAS SURPRISE OF THE DAY AT AQUEDUCT

Fifteen-to-One Shot Took Sixth Event from Alsike With Ease.

TWO FAVORITES WINNERS

Several Upsets Marked the Second Day's Races—Jockey Burns Carried Off Riding Honors by Having Two Successful Mounts.

[BY ASSOCIATED PRESS TO THE GAZETTE.]

New York, April 16.—There were several upsets at Aqueduct today, only two favorites winning.

The surprise of the afternoon came in the last race. Candling at 15 to 1 winning easily from Alsike. Discus in the first two-year-old race, won from the second choice, Mystic Belle. Examiner, favorite in the other two-year-old race, won easily from Red Knight. T. Burns carried off the riding honors, riding two winners. Summaries:

First race, 2-year-olds, 4½ furlongs, selling—Discus, 112, H. Cochran, 7 to 1 and 2 to 1, won; Mystic Belle, 99, J. Daly, 13 to 5 and 4 to 5, second; Epidemic, 94, Shea, 10 to 1 and 4 to 1, third. Time, :57.

Second race, mile and 70 yards, selling—Fatalist, 106, White, 4 to 1 and 9 to 5, won; Shandonfield, 86, Shea, 4 to 1 and 3 to 5, second; Alack, 92, Creamer, 2 to 1 and 4 to 5, third. Time, 1:48. Woodrice and Minonia also ran.

Third race, 2-year-olds, 4½ furlongs—Examiner, 10, T. Burns, 9 to 5 and 7 to 10, won; Red Knight, 110, Landry, 4 to 1 and 8 to 5, second; Tugal Ben, 110, Bonner, 10 to 1 and 4 to 1, third. Time, :56 1-5. Black Number, Kennard, Dolly Hayman, Reeves, War Cry, Cincinnatus, Charlotte Newman and Gen. Dix also ran.

Fourth race, 7 furlongs, selling—Lucky Star, 111, T. Burns, 7 to 10 and 1 to 3, won; Animosity, 102, Shea, 7 to 2 and 4 to 5, second; Jack McGinn, 112, J. Daly, 20 to 1 and 4 to 1, third. Time, 1:28 3-5. Ben Viking, Merry Hours and Mad. Daniels also ran.

Fifth race, 5 furlongs, selling—The Referee, 110, Wonderly, 2½ to 1 and 4 to 5, won; Fried Krupp, 110, H. Cochran, 13 to 5 and even, second; Irridescent, 110, Muir, 6 to 1 and 4 to 1, third. Time, 1:04 3-5. Sunderland, Edgar Poe, Illuminate, Worry and Cigar also ran.

Sixth race, 7 furlongs—Candling, 111; L. Smith, 15 to 1 and 6 to 1, won; Alsike, 115, Brennan, 7 to 1 and 5 to 2, second; Vassal Dance, 100, Wonderly, 7 to 5 and 3 to 5, third. Time, 1:29 1-5. Broad Street, Miskotoe, Clipper, Hindoo Rover, Lord Badge, Ellerling, Squire Quinne, Speediness and Leander also ran.

Entries for tomorrow:

First race, selling, 5½ furlongs—Mark Cheek, 116; Uncle Louis, Huitzilopochtil, 113; Alpaca, 111; Mistress, 110; Jim Tully, 105, Equalite, 100, Pilot, 98.

Second race, handicap, 7 furlongs—St. Finnan, 128; Eloim, 121; Francesco, 120; Asnes D., 119; Tonsure, 96.

Third race, 7 furlongs—Huitzilopochtil, 112; Princess Otillie, Marothen, 102; Zemora, 105; April Shower, 104; Locket, 102; Abbey Doll, 96.

Fourth race, selling, 6 furlongs—Courtnaid, Eugenia Burch, Bobbinet, Hergenie, Morca, Alan, Lora Vale, Blue Delft, Albatross, Princess Tulane, Fly.

Fifth race, selling, 5 furlongs—Graden, Flying Fox, Knockabout, Sir Solomon, Bruit, 110; Red Pepper, Silver Twist, Restorative, Furlough, Lil Pelham, Puschka, 107, Faster Den, May J., May Harrison, Miss Patsy, Trenthaun, Our Julia K., 105; Queen of Divians, 100.

Sixth race, selling, furlongs—Navasota, Blue and Orange, Toscan, 109; Rostand, Dr. Saylor, Ft. Wayne, Bensonhurst, 99; Bonfire, Squid, Zadok, Orloff, Jane K., 96.

HONORS WERE DIVIDED.

Favorites and Outsiders Divide the Purses at Oakland Track.

SAN FRANCISCO, April 16.—Favorites and outsiders divided the honors at Oakland today. The mile handicap resulted in a close finish. Princess Titania, the first choice, getting up in time to beat the poorly-ridden Sister Jeanie a nose. Mircina, an 8 to 1 shot, proved to be a surprise in the 2-year-old event. She beat the well-played Deutschland a length. Straggler, played from 20 to 1 to 12 to 1, took the last race by a neck from Plan, the favorite.

The string of L. V. Bell was shipped today to New York. Weather clear; track fast. Summary:

First race, 11-16 mile, selling—Royal Rogue, 114, Conley, 4 to 5, won; Kildoe, 114, Troxler, 20 to 1, second; Glendenning, 114, J. McCarty, 2 to 1, third. Time, 1:08¾. E. M. Brattain, Preston, Lady Badge, Spirited Dancer and Angie also ran. Huchuca left at the post.

Second race, mile and a sixteenth, selling—McNamara, 109, Crawley, 10 to 1, won; El Pilar, 104, Donnelly, 2½ to 1, second; Billy Lyons, 108, Feary, 40 to 1, third. Time, 1:49½. Slap Dash, Forest King, Ulloa, Brutal, El Rey, Invictaus, Elmer L. and Royal Prize also ran.

Third race, ½ mile, purse—Meircina, 105, Bozeman, 8 to 1, won; Deutschland, 118, Troxler, 7 to 5, second; Clarinette, 110, Seo, 10 to 1, third. Time, :49¾. W. J. Dickey, Prestolus, Jockey Club, Tommy Mitchell and Dotterel also ran.

Fourth race, 1 mile, handicap—Princess Titania, 100, Donnelly, even, won; Sir Geanne, 102, Daly, 2 to 1, second; Headwater, 104, Hoar, 8 to 5, third. Time, 1:41. Only three starters.

Fifth race, ⅞ mile, selling—Ishtar, 97, Donnelly, 3 to 1, won; Devereaux, 107, Prior, 30 to 1, second; Herpolo, 104, Troxler, 2½ to 1, third. Time, 1:25⅘. Our Lizzie, The Slinger, Kickumbob, Mike Strauss, Tony Lepping, Fondo, Royalty and San Venado also ran.

Sixth race, mile and a sixteenth, selling—Straggler, 114, Romero, 12 to 1, won; Plan, 110, Frawley, 3 to 1, second; Merops, 110, Hoar, 6 to 1, third. Time, 1:49¾. Mido, Einstein, El Cid, Ganejo, Mamie Hildreth, Tufts, Anthracite and Altoose also ran.

Entries for Thursday:

First race, 7 furlongs, selling—Martin Bell, Haimetta, 107; Sir Claus, Baldo, Claudator, Dawson, 109; Sol, 109; George Whitney, 112; Knockings, Firsts Maid, 117; Marzochino, Massalo, 119.

Second race, 6 furlongs, selling—Eyes G., Malaspina, 100; Headstrong, 102; Quiz II., 103; Rose of Hilo, Katie Walcott, 114; Tiburon, Bon Magin, B. F. Mason, Mike Strauss, 116; Fausturo, Beaumonde, 119.

Third race, ½ mile, purse, 2-year-olds—Phyz, 103; J. H. Bennett, Walter H., Levanta, Horatius, Nervator, Diagente, 106; Lizzie Rice, Alzona, Garrota, 108; Arabo, 114.

Fourth race, 6 furlongs, selling—Prestano, 102; Discovery, 103; Lass of Langdon, 106; The Hoodoo, Nellie Forest, 114; Ben Ledi, Foul Play, 114; Fine Shot, Merope, Painful, Flamero, 116; Maress, 117.

Fifth race, 1⅛ mile, handicap—La Borgia, 85; Rio Shannon, 94; Frangible, 98; Eonic, 100; Position, 112.

Sixth race, mile, selling—Quadra, 88; Flourish, 103; Gawaine, 106; Billy Moore, Frank Woods, Ned Dennis, Tiotona, 107; First Shot, Windward, Limelight, 110; Diomed, Horton, 113.

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WERE HAULED TO A DUMP

Jury Disagreed in First Trial Against the Pennsylvania Savings Fund & Loan Association and a Second Is Now On.

The case of Theressa and Louise Ebbert against the Pennsylvania Savings Fund and Loan association for damages is on trial in common pleas court No. 1. The plaintiffs vacated a house in Allegheny which the defendant association got possession of. The employes of the defendant found some old articles in the house, which were considered worthless, and they were hauled to the dump.

The plaintiffs alleged in their statement that the articles were all valued as heirlooms, and the price set upon the goods runs up into thousands of dollars. For instance, a "grandfather's hat" is said to have been valued at $25, and an old chest that the grandfather of the plaintiffs made is said to be valued by them at $500. At a first trial of the case the jury disagreed.

HUBER APPEAL ARGUED.

Three Allegheny County Cases Heard by the Superior Court.

In the superior court arguments were heard in the matter of the appeal of Frank Huber from a decree of the orphans' court of this county, made in the estate of Balthasar Huber.

In 1897 Huber was married "in a little church" in Allegheny to Mrs. Barbara Selbert, with whom he lived three years and then went to Philadelphia and married "another woman." His estate consisted of a draft for $1,789, which was handed to Frank Huber shortly before the death of B. Huber, and the lower court surcharged Frank Huber with the amount of the draft, from which decision an appeal was taken. In the distribution Barbara Huber was given one-half of the estate.

The following appeals from common pleas court No. 3 of this county were also heard: Louis Amshel against Nicholas Hosenfeld, appellant, an action on a note; H. M. Lytle against Adley C. McCune, appellant, an action for damages for alleged perjury.

Trust Company Wants Injunction.

A bill in equity was filed by the Safe Deposit and Trust Company, receiver of the Peoples Furniture Company of No. 1629 Beaver avenue, Allegheny, against Matthew A., M. E. and Joseph W. Rapp, comprising the firm. It is set forth that Joseph W. Rapp has taken possession of the business, that the title is a valuable asset, and that as Rapp is president of the company of which the plaintiff is receiver confusion will result. It is asked that Joseph W. Rapp be restrained from doing business under the name of the Peoples Furniture Company, and that the certificate of incorporation be surrendered to the plaintiff.

New Suits Filed.

New suits were filed as follows:

COMMON PLEAS NO. 1.

Albert L. Iseman et al.—Albert L. Swartzwelder ..... Scl. fa. rev
Mary S. Chain, extr.—A. O. Tinstman ..... Scl. fa. rev
Harry H. Perkins—W. M. Kingsley et al ..... Assp
Hosner & Powell—Lowenstein Bros. ..... Tres
Hosner & Powell—Lowenstein Bros. ..... Cert
Charles Strunch et ux.—Nick Spang ..... Tres
S. W. Barnes—Charles E. Skiles ..... Assp
Annie C. Parrus—Charles E. Skiles ..... Assp

COMMON PLEAS NO. 2.

Mary Day—V. J. Frein ..... Tres
B. L. South—Morgan Howells et al. ..... Scl. fa. rev (2)

COMMON PLEAS NO. 3.

Schandein & Linn—S. A. and M. Johnston ..... Fx. att
F. E. Taft—Frank E. Aiken ..... Judgt
Barnes Safe and Lock Company—William M. McKnight ..... Rep
James L. Johnston, use—A. Campbell ..... Scl. fa. mtgs
Safe Deposit and Trust Company—Peoples Furniture Company ..... Equity

Today's Trial Lists.

Common Pleas Court No. 1.—Kellog Banking Company vs. Frangman; Stuenal vs. Catalona; Smith vs. Lorish; Smale vs. Stewart (2); Daniels vs. McKeever; Barrett vs. Jutte; Coxen vs. Archibald; Niblock vs. Consolidated Traction Company; Swanson vs. City of Pittsburgh; Bialis vs. City of Pittsburgh; Ealis vs. City of Pittsburgh; Ladick vs. Hartman; Spence vs. Drake & Stratton.

Common Pleas No. 2.—City of Pittsburgh vs. Burnwin, Eakin vs. Wallace & Parker; Stephens vs. Wallace & Parker; Stoerkel vs. Schaefer; Matheys vs. Allemania Fire Insurance Company; Dervonde vs. Allemannia Fire Insurance Company.

Common Pleas Court No. 3.—Equity trial list.

LEGAL BRIEFS.

A decree in divorce was granted in the case of Thomas O'Leary against Bertha O'Leary.

Erlah Tinker took out letters of administration on the $25,000 estate of Rosale E. Wainwright. Attorney Tinker represents the executor.

The will of John Jannics, who was drowned at Duquesne, was filed. A small estate is left to the decedent's sister. Attorney C. B. Payne filed the will.

In the case of the Little Sisters of the Poor against the city of Pittsburgh for alleged damages to property, the plaintiff was assessed $272 98 special benefits.

Charles C. Twiss of Washington, Pa., and Edward B. Shaw of Oil City were discharged from bankruptcy. Daniel Geiser, Jr., of Roscoe was adjudged a bankrupt.

By the will of William Lewis, late of Scott township, an estate worth $4,775 is left to the testator's wife and children. Attorney C. R. Cooke has charge of the estate.

In the United States district court a petition in bankruptcy was filed by William B. Green of Washington township, Erie county, showing his liabilities to be $719 and assets $650.

A petition in bankruptcy was filed by Morris Hass, a tinner, of Pittsburgh. His schedule shows liabilities amounting to $9,021, assets $65. Attorney A. L. Cramer represents the bankrupt.

Charles and Margaret Strunck sued Nick Spang for $5,000 damages. The plaintiffs allege that a well on their property at Duquesne has been ruined for household purposes by a stable of the defendant's situated near the well.

By the will of the Rev. Marshall Steger, late of Allegheny, a small estate is divided between the St. Joseph's Orphan asylum and St. Anthony's chapel of Allegheny and the Sisters of Notre Dame of Baltimore. Attorney Mark Schmitt represents the executors.

An amended statement was filed by Vincent Herron in behalf of his son, Hugh Herron, aged 14 years, against the city of Pittsburgh. Herron claims that his boy, while on his way from school, stepped on a fallen electric wire and was severely burned. He asks $5,000 damages.

The will of Eliza Bond, late of Allegheny, was filed. An estate worth $30,000 is bequeathed to the decedent's children, Abigail E. McLaughlin, Charles E. Holmes and Martha J. McLaughlin. Walter H. Wainwright is named as executor and Attorney Arthur L. Over represents him.

In the matter of the application for the extension of time supplied for the Pittsburgh Tunnel Company to complete its plans, several petitions were filed against the granting of the same. There was several hundred signers from the wards on the South Side hills, Knoxville, Montooth and West Liberty.

Executions were issued as follows: Charles F. Stoll vs. Anna M. Mahler, $2,278; August Hinke vs. Frank Hinke, $88; Mary Asche vs. Maggie Lauer et al., $250; Mary Asche vs. Joseph Lauer, $250; John Jones vs. R. Matthias, $1,250, same vs. same, $1,250; Mary Sharaf vs. Sarah Hall, $2,083.

Judge Over, in the estate of George Albitz upon the claim of Jacob Albitz that $1,000 which was due from him to his father's estate should not be distributed from his share. He gave his father a note for $2,500 and later satisfaction of the same was entered upon the payment of $1,500. The court it is satisfied that the interest did not intend to give the amount to his son, who is given credit for $868 on his debt to the estate.

DUQUESNE TEAM BEATEN.

Steubenville Basketball Five Won a Fine Game from Pittsburghers.

STEUBENVILLE, O., April 16.—(Special.)—In one of the fastest games of basketball ever played here the Steubenville team defeated the Duquesne five tonight by a score of 31 to 10. There were rough periods and some fine work and individual playing.

In the first half the score stood 19 to 5, the visitors not having made any field goals. Bobby Burns, who has been at Sharon practicing to pitch baseball this summer, was in the game, and he got an ovation. Line-up:

Duquesne.		Steubenville.
Dixon	R. F.	Needham
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Referee and umpire—Haddock and Farren. Scorer—McSwigan. Timers—Nugent and Roberts. Field goals—Hamilton 2, Burns 5, Needham 3, Gaughan 2, Dixon 2, Orr 1, Houser 2. Foul goals—Hamilton 2, Dixon 2, L. Selbel 2.

RACES DECIDED UPON.

Kentucky Trotting Association Will Close Entries June 2.

LEXINGTON, KY., April 16.—At a meeting of the directors of the Kentucky Trotting Horse Breeders' association today the following events for the meeting, October 7 to 18, were decided upon, entries to close all save the Transylvania on June 2:

Transylvania, 2:12 trotting, $6,000; McDowell, 2:10 trotting, $5,000; Tennessee, 2:08 pacing, $3,000; Walnut Hall cup, 2:15 trotting, $3,000; Blue Grass, 2:19 trotting, $2,000; Johnston, 2:24 trotting, $2,000; Kentucky, 3-year-old trotting, $2,000; Lexington, 2-year-old trotting, $2,000; Wilson, 2:20 pacing, $2,000.

The Transylvania entries will not close until September 19. It was also determined to open and complete a purse of $1,500 and over to complete the program of three races each day. Entries to these will close September 19. Two futurities for 1880 and 1900 foals will also be trotted at this meeting.

Cleveland Bowling Tourney.

CLEVELAND, O., April 16.—The first bowling tournament ever held in this state will be bowled next week at the Auditorium alleys the latter part of next month. It will be an interstate affair, open to bowlers of Ohio, Pennsylvania, Kentucky, Virginia, West Virginia, Indiana and Michigan. Cash prizes aggregating over $800 will be awarded. American bowling congress rules will govern the tournament, consisting of three contests, five men teams, two men teams and individuals. The entrance fee will be $15 for the first, $6 for the second, and $3 for individuals.

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E. W. Harden's Daily New York Business Letter

FIREWORKS ON L. & N. STOCKS ARE AT AN END

Wall Street Was Relieved to Find J. P. Morgan Is in Control.

QUANDARY OF J. W. GATES

He Found Himself in a Position Where He Could Not Squeeze the Short Interests Without Very Seriously Hurting His Own.

[BY PRIVATE WIRE TO THE GAZETTE.]

New York, April 16.—Nothing essendonally new has developed in the Louisville & Nashville situation. It is generally believed that the "shorts" have settled and that the fireworks for the present at least are over. On learning that control has been lodged in the hands of J. P. Morgan & Co., Wall street was profoundly relieved. The truth of the matter is that the Gates party did a very shrewd thing when they made this arrangement, even though it be temporary, with a house, the very name of which is a guarantee of straightforward practice. On reflection, however, it is difficult to see how the Gates party could have done anything else. It develops more clearly that when the western contingent first engaged in its Louishville & Nashville speculation it had no idea of getting control, and that having got it, there was a great pow-wow as to what should be done with it. It could not be sold in the open market without danger of dreadful consequences, and nobody, it seems, was willing to take it off the hands of the Gates party at a price that would net the speculators the profit they wanted.

An interesting feature of the case is that John W. Gates and his associates found themselves by accident in a position where they could not squeeze the short interest they had entrapped without hurting themselves. To understand this it has first to be remembered that it was the Louisville & Nashville company that was short of the stock. Having bought a majority of the share certificates in the open market, Mr. John W. Gates and his associates virtually were the Louisville & Nashville Company, and therefore, by squeezing the Louisville & Nashville Company's short interest, they would have been hurting themselves. All in all, it was one of the most complicated affairs that has ever developed in Wall street.

While the issue is still uncertain, the stock market community believes that so long as control of Louisville & Nashville rests in the "white building," at the corner of Broad and Wall streets, the property is quite as safe as it ever had been in the Belmont strong boxes. It is suspected that the positive denials of any interest on the part of Southern railway in Louisville & Nashville are more or less technical. At all events, it is unbelievable that Louisville & Nashville will be operated in any way prejudicial to the welfare of the Southern railway so long as control remains nominally with J. P. Morgan & Co. There is a growing belief that Mr. Morgan may take Louisville & Nashville personally and thus effect a permanent moral relation between that property and Southern railway without transgressing the state laws of the south.

In circles which are usually thoroughly informed it is accepted that control of Louisville & Nashville will eventually pass to the Southern Railway. The details regarding any consolidation of these two roads are looked upon as being purely technial and natural in view of the uncertainty of the supreme court's decision on the Northern Securities case.

Speculative Interest Lacking.

Complaints about the inactivity and comparative weakness of the United States Steel shares in the stock market are indifferently received by officials of the combine. It is apparent that inside interests are indisposed at present to develop speculative interest in the "steele." On no other theory can the market lassitude of the stock be explained. The earnings are all that could possibly be expected, and it is a matter of common knowledge that practially the entire output for the current year is engaged. An authority that usually speaks by the Morgan card ventures the assertion that the combine's earnings for the month of March were much better than the estimate of $9,700,000, officially given. It is believed that the actual earnings for that month turned out to be between $10,000,000 and $11,000,000, and it is said further that at the present rate of business, net earnings for April will exceed $11,000,000, while those for May should be considerably in excess of $12,000,000. It is said on very good authority that the earnings of the National Tube Company alone are at the rate of $1,000,000 a month.

Standard Oil Selling.

The market attitude of what is known as the "Standard Oil party" always is a matter of paramount concern in Wall street, and, in view of this, it is interesting to hear that these interests have been heavy sellers of stocks this week. The evidence that developed today in support of this statement seemed almost conclusive. It is understood that the Standard Oil party sold Southern Railway on a very large scale while that stock was being manipulated in such an extraordinary manner, and that its selling elsewhere in the list involved St. Paul, Amalgamated Copper and several other stocks in which the Rockefeller contingent is heavily interested.

Crystal Railroad Sold.

President Newman Erb, of the St. Louis, Memphis & Southeastern railroad, announces the purchase from the Pittsburgh Plate Glass Company of the Crystal Railroad Company, a line three miles long between Crystal City and Silica, in Jefferson county, Missouri. The road was built by the Pittsburgh Plate Glass Company to connect its plant at Crystal with the Iron Mountain & Southern road. It lies exactly in the route of the projected northward extension of the St. Louis, Memphis & Southeastern, and will save the latter that much construction on its way to St. Louis. The 165 miles of road from Cape Girardeau to Hunter was reorganized in 1899 as the Southern Missouri & Arkansas.

E. W. HARDEN.

Philadelphia Stocks.

PHILADELPHIA, April 16.—The closing bids were as follows:

Penna. R. R....	75½	Tidewater Steel ..	6½
Phila. Traction..	97½	Cambria Steel ..	25⅞
Union Traction ..	43⅜	Elec. Co. of Am.	7⅛
Elec. & Peo. 4s..	98¼	Alkali	⅞
Con. Traction N. J.	40	Asphalt 5s	39
Con. Lake Sup'r	21⅜	Phila. Co	46⅛
Storage	77	Do 5s 111	
Do preferred..	77	Lehigh Valley...	34⅞
Marsden	13⅝	Sup. preferred...	75
Phila. Electric...	5½	Powder	8
U. Gas. Imp....121			

Boston Copper Mining Stocks.

A. E. Masten & Co., 308 Fourth avenue, Pittsburgh, furnish the following closing bids of copper and mining stocks in Boston:

Adventure	22½	Quincy	125
Amalgamated	65⅜	Rhode Island	2⅝
Arcadian	17	Tamarack	172
Atlantic	28	Utah	22½
Bingham	33¼	U. S. Mining.....	21⅛
Calumet	585	Victoria	5¼
Centennial	19½	Winona	5⅝
Elm River	3¼	Winona	1½
Franklin	12	Allouez	3
Mass	18⅜	Phoenix	3½
Mohawk	51½	Trinity	10¼
Michigan	11	Black Diamond	5
Osceola	62	Cal. & Arizona	35
Old Dominion	21¼	Central & Bost'n	2⅝
Old Colony	43½	Range Con	50⅝
Parrot	27½	Santa Fe	2 15-16

New York Mining Stocks.

NEW YORK, April 16.—Mining stocks closed:

Adams Con.....	.20	Little Chief.....	.11
Alice	.50	Ontario	9.00
Breece	.50	Ophir	1.00
Brunswick Con....	.13	Potosi	.20
Comstock Tunnel ..	.05½	Savage	.08
Con. Cal. & Va...	1.25	Sierra Nevada....	.20
Deadwood Terra...	.55	Horn Silver.....	1.80
Horn Silver.....	.70	Standard	3.25
Leadville Con....	.05		

NEWS FROM THE MINES

[BY PRIVATE WIRE TO THE GAZETTE.]

NEW YORK, April 16.—Advices from Phoenix, Ariz., state that a company of eastern capitalists is searching placer claims along the beds of the Colorado, Bill Williams and Hassayampa rivers, and will install large plants of machinery to work the sands. For many years Mexicans and Indians have been washing out large amounts of gold from all three rivers and their tributaries, but never has machinery been used which would permit the deep dredging of the sands.

Owing to the improvement in the smaller situation in the Slocum, B. C., district, active work is to be resumed on the Ruth, which is owned by an English company. There is a body of ore opened up in the mine that gives values of 189 ounces silver and 14 per cent lead.

There is talk of consolidating the Ross, Great Western and Kootenay mining companies. The former is now in a position to ship 60 tons of ore daily.

A rich strike of free-milling gold ore has been made in the 152-foot drift of the Pioneer, near Pilot Valley, Utah. Fifty inches of widths and assays range from $35 to $2,500 a ton.

Vancouver, B. C., reports that work has begun on the Tramway from the Sorja mine, Alberni, and that, when it is completed, the iron ore will be shipped to the Irondale smelter. The company is also working the Sertia, one far from the other Tramway.

The Mammoth, at Tintic, Utah, is to the front again with another rich find. Two feet of ore are 100 feet below the level in a drift from the main shaft, 500 feet below the old workings, that assays as high as 1,700 ounces silver and $400 gold to the ton.

On the 200-foot level of the Cygnet, at Stockton, Utah, ore is being stoped from a chute 20 feet long and four feet thick. It is galena and carbonates, and yields 45 per cent lead and 10 ounces silver per ton.

The drift on the Hobson, near Lordsburg, N. M., is down 200 feet. Within the last few feet the rock has changed to the color of copper, which is an indication of permanency.

Joplin's output last week was 9,427,610 pounds of zinc, valued at $134,081, and 1,151,210 pounds of lead, valued at $32,585, total value, $167,769. One lot of ore brought $35; the average was $34. The price of lead was unchanged.

Placer ground yielding $26 gold to the pan has been discovered at the headwaters of the Kuskokwim and Malchatna rivers, Alaska, and the usual stampede of miners is reported. The new diggings are within 160 miles of Liumna.

The Comstock Tunnel Company is putting up a reduction plant at the mouth of the Sutro tunnel, to work the concentrates from its mill.

During March the El Paso, at Cripple Creek, produced $22,600 gold from 600 tons of ore. Every pound of this ore was taken out in the course of dead work in drifts and levels.

The Metal Market.

Trading in Standard copper was active today, though the market was easy. Sales were 1,600 tons June and July at 11¾c and 11.15c. The spot prices for Standard are $11 00@11 50 and for June and July, $11 10@11 15. Lake was quoted at 12¼c, electrolytic at 12¼c asked and casting at 12c asked. The London market for copper was lower at £52 17s 6d. Tin was firm at New York but unchanged, with spot at $28 90. London closed £1 7s 6d higher, with spot at £128 5s and futures at £125 15s. Lead ruled steady and unchanged at New York at 4¼c, while London advanced 1s 3d to £11 12s 6d. Spelter was unchanged here at $4 45, and also at London at £17 18s.

The local iron market ruled steady and unchanged. Pig iron warrants nominal. No. 1 foundry, northern, $19 00@20 00; No. 2 foundry, northern, $18 00@19 00; No. 1 foundry, southern, $17 50@18 00; No. 2 foundry, southern, soft, $17 50@18 00; No. 2 foundry, southern, $17 00@18 00; bamboo heat twethers, 95 to 100 lbs., $5 05@5 80; good, 85 to 90 lbs., $5 40 @5 60; mixed, 75 to 80 lbs., $4 75@5 25; culled and common, $2 50@3 50; choice lambs, $6 75@ 6 85; common to good, $4 00@6 00; spring lambs, $8 00@13 00; veal calves, $6 00@6 35; heavy and thin, $4 00@4 50.

[BY ASSOCIATED PRESS TO THE GAZETTE.]

NEW YORK, April 16.—Beeves—Receipts, 2,-700; steers, 10@15c lower; medium, steady; thin cows; 10@15c higher; steers, $4 75@7 00; bulls, $3 50@5 40; cows, $2 25@5 25; cables quoted live cattle higher, at 14@14½c a pound; dressed weight refrigerator beef lower, at 11c a pound. Exports, 3,270 quarters of beef; tomorrow 31 cattle and 125 quarters of beef. Calves, receipts, 2,534. Veals 50c@$1 higher; some sales $1 25 higher; veals $4@7 50; little calves, $3@3 50; city dressed veals higher, at 8@10½c a pound, extra, 11c.

Sheep and lambs—Receipts, 7,165; sheep, steady; prime lambs, 10@15c higher than Monday; medium grades weak.

Unshorn sheep, $4 50@6 25; clipped do, $3 50@ 5 00; unshorn culls, $3 50@4; unshorn lambs, $ 50@7 80; clipped culls, $5; spring lambs, $3@ 5 25 each.

Hogs—Receipts, 6,173. Market strong; state hogs, $7 50@7 60.

KANSAS CITY, April 16.—Cattle—Receipts, 500 natives, 900 Texas, 100 calves. Butchers' stock steady to 10c lower; other killing grades and stock, feeding cattle, steady. Choice export and dressed beef steers, $6 50@7 10; fair to good, $5 50@6 50; stockers and feeders, $3 50@5 35; western fed steers, $3 50@6 75; Texas and Indian steers, $4 00@6 25; cows, $3 50@7 00; native cows, $3 50@5 75; calves, $4@6 00. Hogs—Receipts, 10,400; market 5@ 10c lower. Top, $7 25, bulk of sales, $7 10@ 7 15; heavy, $7 10@7 25; mixed packers, $6 85@ 7 20; light, $6 45@7 05; pigs, $5 55@6 35.

Sheep—Receipts, 2,700; market strong to 10c higher. Native lambs, $5 50@7 00; western, $6 40@6 85; native wethers, $5 00@6 00; western, $5 50@5 50; yearlings, $6 20@6 50; ewes, $5@ 5 90; stockers and feeders, $3 25@5 00; western clipped sheep, $4@5 75.

CHICAGO, April 16.—Cattle—Receipts, 19,-000 head; 10c to 15c lower; good to prime steers, $6 75@7 50; poor to medium, $4 75@ 6 50; feeders, $2 50@5 25; cows, $1 50@6 00; heifers, $2 50@6 35; canners, $1 50@2 40; bulls, $2 50@5 50; calves, $2 50@5 25; Texas fed steers, $5 25@6 25. Hogs—Receipts, 33,000 head; tomorrow, 28,000 head; left-over, 8,000 head; 5c to 10c lower; mixed and butchers, $6 80@7 20; good to choice heavy, $7 20@7 40; rough heavy, $6 80@7 15; light, $6 70@7 10; bulk of sales, $6 90@7 20. Sheep—Receipts, 16,000 head; sheep steady to strong; lambs steady; good to choice wethers, $5 25@6 00; western sheep, $4 75@6 00; native lambs, $4 75 @6 85; western lambs, $6 25@6 85.

EAST BUFFALO, April 16.—Cattle—Receipts light; steady to strong; veals, tops, $7 00@7 15. Hogs—Receipts, 3,100 head; 5@ 10c higher on pigs; pigs, mixed and mediums, $7 45@7 50; heavy, $7 30@7 40; roughs, $4 50@ 5 25. Sheep and lambs—Receipts, 10,800 head; sheep slow; lambs, demand limited and 10@ 15c lower; top lambs, $7 25@7 40; fair to good, $6 75@7 10; culls and common, $5 50@6 00; yearlings, $6 50@6 65; clipped top lambs, $6 40 @6 60; sheep, tops mixed, $5 75@6 25; fair to good, $5 00@5 50; mixed clipped, $5 30@5 50.

Financial Drift.

75 was bid for Wilkinsburg Bank.

Chartiers Railway offered lower at 146.

Sharon Steel bonds offered at par and interest.

Five South Side Trust Company offered at 115.

National Fire Proofing warrants quoted at 40 bid.

For North American Savings Company $5 was bid.

Union Trust jumped from 765 to 775 bid, the record price.

Mechanics National bank advanced $1 to $132, a new high record.

United Realty Trust was quoted at 140 bid and 142 asked at the wind-up.

Hall bid 65½ for 100 Manufacturers Light and Heat near the close. He offered it at 66.

For Pittsburgh, McKeesport & Connellsville Street Railway 5s 101¾ was bid and 102 asked.

The American Elevated Railway Company has increased its capital from $1,000,000 to $5,000,000.

The New York banks are gaining from the sub-treasury and call money shows a rather better tendency.

The last trade of the day was 100 Ice common at 15½, and that price was bid for more with no offers under 16.

R. C. Hall sold 1,000 Trade Dollar Mining at $1.85 to Darr, Luke & Moore, and offered 1,000 more at that price.

The St. Louis & Southwestern will issue $25,000,000 20-year 4 per cent gold bonds to finance its new acquisitions.

The first sale on the board was 100 American Window Glass common at 63⅝; 525 more went at the same price in a few moments.

During the forenoon over 2,000 Philadelphia Company common were sold, Miller and Walker selling 1,000 each. Robinson Bros. and Sproul & Co. bought.

The Berlin National Zeitung says the earnings in 1901 of the two German branches of the Standard Oil Company were 44½ and 38 per cent, respectively.

The stockholders of the New York Central read authorized an increase of $35,000,000 in the capital stock of this company, bringing the total capital up to $150,000,000.

Wilson was the initial seller of American Locomotive preferred, selling 100 to Robinson Bros. at 94½. This is the first trade ever made in the stock on the exchange.

There was little or no authentic news of any importance, but the report was widely circulated that the directors of Amalgamated Copper at their meeting tomorrow would be compelled to again cut the dividend.

Notwithstanding the adverse South African war news, the London market appeared to be distinctly bullish on Americans. Houses with foreign connections report trading for foreign account of about 40,000 shares, purchases being made on balance.

A telegram to Sproul said: Great uncertainty exists regarding the coming dividend on A. C. P. The prevailing opinion is that it will be ½ of 1 per cent. We understand that a move is soon to occur in the stock, and think it should be a purchase around present prices.

Lytle & Davis sold a block of $30,000 Connellsville Suburban Street Railway Company 5s to Robinson Bros. at 98. This is the first trade in these securities ever made on the Pittsburgh stock exchange. The issue is but $75,-000, and matures in 1932. Interest is payable in January and July.

Messrs. Spencer Trask & Co., the New York bankers, have issued for the convenience of their patrons and friends a transcontinental comparative statement, accompanied by a map which is of much value to speculators and investors, as well as a unique presentation of the statistics of various transcontinental railway systems. The map gives a comprehensive idea of the relative positions of the 12 leading railroads, while the figures in the analysis serve to indicate the investment value of the various stocks. Altogether, it is an elaborate, yet simple and concise, arrangement that affords instant knowledge of the returns made by the lines included.

It is planned that the new Commonwealth Real Estate & Trust Company shall absorb the Commercial National bank and the proposition will shortly be submitted to the stockholders. John W. Herron, head of the new trust company, is also vice president of the bank and one of the largest individual owners. President Samuel Bailey died yesterday and the matter was being discussed and that the bank's stock would probably go into the combine at $200 a share. The bank will go into liquidation when the combine occurs. Its capital is $300,000 and par value $100.

The directors of the Lincoln National bank have decided to submit a proposition to the stockholders to increase the bank's capital from $300,000 as at present, to $600,000. The increase is rendered necessary by the expanding business of the institution. About a year ago the capital was increased from $150,000 to $300,000. It is thought the new stock will be put out at about $125, which is $75 more than par. This would leave $450,000 to be added to the surplus and profits, which now stand at $322,000. C. B. McLean is president and W. R. Christian cashier. The directors are C. B. McLean, Harrison P. Dilworth, William C. Kling, W. F. Wilson, James H. Armstrong, J. Albert Evans, George A. McLean, A. R. Neeb and E. H. Utley.

WALL STREET FEATURES.

Total sales 1,326,000 shares.

Southern railway closes lower for the day, liquidation being active.

Wisconsin Central gained 3 points.

Movements of Gates' brokers find many followers.

International Power advances 17⅛ net on rumors of combination with American Locomotive.

United States Steel common closed 41.

United States Steel preferred closed 93⅞.

Gates Interests Active in Stock Market

SPECULATORS READILY FOLLOW NEW LEADERS

Excitement in Southern Railway Subsides and Liquidation Was in Evidence.

STOCK SCORES NET LOSS

Hard and Soft Coalers Advanced on Buying by Gates Brokers—Many Gains Made Which Were Not Maintained—Money Market Easy.

[BY ASSOCIATED PRESS TO THE GAZETTE.]

New York, April 16.—The stock market reverted to a more normal condition today, after yesterday's extraordinary movement in Southern railway. The transactions in that stock, although scarcely more than one-quarter of those of yesterday, still overshadowed the market and were on a scale beyond precedent, with a very few exceptions. Heavy profit taking was in evidence all day long, which kept the price almost constantly below last night's level. The stock's net loss was ⅞. There was some selling induced by the emphatic disclaimers on the part of Southern Railway interests of any participation in the Louisville & Nashville purchases present or prospective. But the distinction drawn between J. P. Morgan & Co. as bankers and the same firm as the controlling influence in Southern Railway seemed somewhat strained.

Morgans Are in Control.

The extensive power over the affairs of Louisville & Nashville allotted to the firm seemed sufficient security for its operations in harmony with Southern Railway. The brokers most active in the selling of that stock today were those that were heaviest buyers yesterday and who have operated conspicuously for the so-called Gates element in all the recent large transactions in the market. They were sellers of other stocks which have recently been brought up to a materially higher level. Perhaps they were also large buyers at new points in the market, having a large part in the advance of the coalers both hard and soft. The buying of Chesapeake & Ohio, Norfolk & Western and Baltimore & Ohio seemed to be based on the assumption that they should enjoy the same advantages as those of Southern Railway in similar and neighboring territory.

Advances Elsewhere.

The western and Pacific stocks as a rule were subjected to realizing, but there were a number of smaller railroads whose stocks were sharply advanced with an appearance of absorption for control, which readily induced a speculative following among the professionals because of the prevalent feeling in Wall street that "a railroad cannot be left out over night without being snapped up by some syndicate." In the expressive phrase of the president of one of the coalers, Wisconsin Central was the most conspicuous instance of this class, both its stocks rising more than 3 points and closing strong in contrast with a reactionary tendency in some parts of the market.

There was a large number of minor stocks which showed gains of a point or more at one time during the day, but the cases are rare where the full advance was maintained. Sugar became strong for a time on the decision to limit the period for debate on the Cuban reciprocity bill. Amalgamated Copper was sold on account of the reduction in the Anaconda dividend and on fears that similar action would be taken tomorrow in the case of the Amalgamated dividend. International Power made an extraordinary upward movement of 19⅝ points, closing with a net gain of 17⅛. Rumors were current of some combination with American Locomotive.

Money Market Undisturbed.

The gains were not well maintained in any case, and there were not a few declines during the day among important stocks, but the evidence that the financial powers which have been leading the speculation were still active kept thte interest in the market awake. The money market showed no disturbance, and there was no advance in the exchange market despite large sales of stock for London account and the prospective demand for exchange on account of American subscriptions to the new British consol loan, the terms of the issue of which were announced today. The market closed active and irregular.

There was continued heavy realizing in the Central of Georgia incomes. The bond market generally was irregular. Total sales, par value, $4,395,000. United States bonds were all unchanged on the last call.

NEW YORK CLOSING BONDS.

U. S. reg. 2s, reg	109¾	*L. & N. unl. 4s	102½
Do coupon	109¾	*Mex. Cent. 4s	84⅜
Do 3s, reg	105¾	Do 1st inc.	34⅝
Do coupon	106½	M. & St. L. 4s	104⅛
Do 4s, reg	138½	M., K. & T. 4s	90
Do coupon	138½	Do 2ds	82⅝
Do old 4s, reg	111½	N. Y. C. 1sts	106⅜
Do coupon	111½	Nor. & West. 6s	130
Do 5s, reg	105⅝	N. J. C. gen. 5s	140⅜
Do coupon	107	North. Pac. 4s	105⅛
Atch. gen. 4s	103⅜	Do 3s	74⅝
Do adj. 4s	94⅝	Do rec. ctfs	84⅜
B. & O. 4s	102⅜	Reading gen. 4s	99
Do 3½s	96½	St. L. & I.M.con.5s	116½
Do conv. 4s	110	*St. L. & S. F. 4s	101
*Canada So. 2ds	108	St. L. & South. 1sts	104¼
Cent. of Ga. 5s	113	Do 2ds	86½
Do 1st inc.	86	S. A. & A. P. 4s	91½
C. & O. 4½s	108½	Southern Pac. 4s	85¼
C. & A. 2½s	84⅝	*Southern Ry. 5s	122⅝
C., R. & Q. n. 4s	96	Tex. & Pac. 1sts	121
*C.,M.& St.P.g.4s	116	U., St. L. & W. 4s	83
*C. & A. 1sts	116½	Va. Mid. gen. 5s	104½
C., R. I. & P. 4s	112⅜	Do conv. 4s	107⅝
C.C.C. & St.L.g.4s	104½	Wabash 1sts	119⅝
Chicago Ter. 4s	90	Do 2ds	77½
Col. & So. 4s	96	Do deb. B	71
D. & R. G. 4s	103⅝	*West Shore 4s	112⅜
*Erie prior lien 4s	99¾	W. & L. E. 4s	92
Do 4s	97⅜	Wis. Cent. 4s	95⅛
F.W. & D.C.1sts	113⅜	Con. Tobacco 4s	65⅜
Hock. Val. 4½s	110½		

*Bid. †Offered.

Electric Stocks.

BOSTON, April 16.—Electric stocks closed:

Mass. Electric....	43¼	General Electric..	227
Do preferred....	96¾	West. Electric....	112

NEW YORK PRICES.

Daily range of prices reported by Messrs. Henry Sproul & Co., Peoples Savings bank building, Fourth avenue, members of New York, Philadelphia, Pittsburgh and Chicago stock exchanges, and Chicago board of trade.

Sales.	STOCKS.	Open	High	Low	Close
27800	A., T. & S. F....	80	80¾	79½	80¾
7200	Do preferred..	98¼	98⅝	97⅝	98⅛
	Amer. Cotton Oil	50	50⅜	49½	49
	Do preferred..				98
17200	Amer. Sug. Ref...	131⅜	133½	131½	132⅝
23600	Am. Locomotive..	33⅞	34⅜	33½	34
3000	Do preferred..	94½	94⅝	94¼	94½
1700	Amer. Car Fdry.	29	29	28¼	28⅞
100	Do preferred..				88½
	American Can....				14⅝
	Do preferred..				57½
37100	Amal. Copper....	65⅜	68	64⅜	65⅞
2400	Am. Cop. Mining	113	115½	112	113
800	Am. Smelt & Ref.	46½	46	46½	46¼
100	Do preferred..	97⅛	97½	97⅛	97⅜
	American Ice.....	16½	17⅛	16⅜	17
	Do preferred..	56⅝	56⅝	56⅝	56
41600	Balti. & Ohio....	108½	109⅜	108½	108⅞
	Do preferred..				96¼
2800	Brook. Rap. Tran.	65	65⅞	65	65¼
52900	Chi. Great West.	25	26	24⅝	25⅝
3400	Consolidated Gas.	224½	226⅜	224	224½
3500	C., C., C. & St. L.	103⅜	106½	103⅜	105¾
2700	Ches. & Ohio....	47	48	46⅞	47¾
1900	Chicago & Alton.	37	37¾	36⅞	36¾
100	Do preferred..				78
23200	Chi. Mil. & St. P.	100	105⅝	100	102⅜
	Do preferred..				137
10700	Colorado South'n	29⅜	30½	29⅜	29⅞
900	Do 1st pfd.....	72⅝	74⅜	72⅝	74
2100	Do 2d pfd.....	45	45¾	44	45
	Del., Lack. & W.				286
2400	Del. & Hudson....	173	175½	172⅜	171¾
23300	Erie	37	37⅜	37	37⅜
4700	Do 1st pfd.....	68¼	69⅞	68¼	69
2000	Do 2d pfd.....	53¾	54⅜	53¾	54⅜
900	General Electric.	223	228½	227	227½
4100	Illinois Central..	143	145	143	144
600	Iowa Central....	40	40⅞	40	40½
2900	Do preferred..	85	85	85	85½
100	Inter. Paper.....	21	21	21	20½
100	Do preferred..	74⅞	74⅞	74⅜	74½
500	L. E. & W.....	69½	69½	69	69
	Do preferred..				129
15000	Louis. & Nash....	127	128	124⅜	125¼
5400	Manhattan.....	132⅜	133⅝	132¼	132⅝
10500	Missouri Pacific..	101	101⅜	100⅝	100⅝
1800	M., K. & T. pfd..	55½	55⅝	55½	55⅝
3500	Metropolitan.....	153½	155	153½	154⅝
3500	Mexican Central.	30½	30⅝	30	29¾
2000	National Lead....	18½	19	18½	18⅞
	Do preferred..				96⅜
200	National Biscuit.	50⅜	50⅜	50⅜	50⅜
	Do preferred..				109½
3500	N. Y. Central....	163	163¾	163	163½
5700	N. Y., O. & W....	32⅝	33¼	32⅝	32⅞
40400	Norfolk & West'n.	85⅞	87⅛	85⅞	87¼
	Do preferred..				90
1200	P. C. L. & C. Co.	102	102⅜	102	102½
1500	Pacific Mail.....	42⅜	43⅜	42½	42
	Pullman Co.....				235
600	Pressed Steel Car	40¾	40⅞	40	40½
600	Do preferred..	83½	85⅜	83	85⅛
15500	Pittsburg, Ft. W.	151¼	153	150½	151½
119500	Reading	58⅛	59⅜	57⅝	59⅜
4200	Do 1st pfd.....	82½	83¼	82½	82⅞
20500	Do 2d pfd.....	68⅜	69⅝	68⅛	69⅛
1900	Rock Island.....	174½	174⅝	173½	173⅝
500	Republic Iron....	17⅝	17⅝	17	17⅛
2000	Do preferred..	73	73¼	72⅜	72⅜
17000	Southern Pacific..	67⅜	67⅞	66⅝	66⅝
233800	Southern Ry.....	38½	38⅞	37	37
4000	Do preferred..	97½	97⅝	96½	96¼
51700	St. Paul.....	171⅛	171½	170⅝	170⅝
400	Do preferred..	194	194	192	192½
500	S. L. & Southw'n	29	29¼	29	29⅜
2700	Do preferred..	63	63⅜	62½	62⅝
3200	Tenn. Coal & Iron	69½	70¼	69½	69⅜
46500	Texas & Pacific..	43	44⅛	43	43⅝
1500	T., S. L. & S. W.	22	22⅜	21½	21⅝
1100	Do preferred..	40	40	39½	39½
7000	U. S. Leather....	41	41⅜	40⅝	40⅝
7300	Do preferred..	93⅜	93⅜	93⅛	93⅜
32400	Union Pacific....	103	103⅜	102	102¼
1650	Do preferred..	87½	87⅝	87¼	87⅜
400	U. S. Rubber....	18½	18½	18½	18
2900	U. S. Leather....	12⅜	12⅞	12⅜	12⅝
100	Do preferred..				104
4000	Wabash	24⅝	24⅝	24¼	24⅝
3700	Do preferred..	44⅛	44⅞	44	44
1400	W. U. Telegraph.	90⅜	91⅛	90⅜	91¼
600	Wheel. & L. E....	20⅜	20⅜	20⅛	20¼
	Do preferred..				32½
2000	San Francisco....	71¼	71½	70½	70⅜
	Kanawha & Mich	41	41	41	41
	Do preferred..	31½	32¼	31½	32¼
3200	Northwest.....	253	254	250	252
9700	Canadian Pacific.	119⅝	120¼	119⅝	119⅝
	Rail. Steel Spring.	24	24	24	24
	Do preferred..	85	85	84½	84

Total sales, 1,326,000 shares.

Boston Stocks.

BOSTON, April 16.—Stocks closed:

Atchison	73	American Sugar...	133
Do preferred..	98	Do preferred....	119½
Boston & Albany.	263	Am. Tel. & Tel...	173½
Boston Elevated.	194	Dom. Iron & S....	67
W. End St. Ry..	113	Do preferred....	93
Fitchburg pfd....	146½	United Fruit.....	102¼
Union Pacific....	102⅛	U. S. Steel.....	40⅞
Mexican Central..	29⅜	Do preferred....	93⅞

Chicago Stocks.

CHICAGO, April 16.—Stocks dull. Close:

American Can	15⅜	Northwestern L....	38
Do preferred..	58	Do preferred....	86
Biscuit	50⅛	W. Chi. St. R. R.	100¼
Lake St. L.....	12½	Union Traction	29⅞
N. Chi. St. R. R.	136		

Rains Subdue Bullishness

BULLISH GRAIN MARKET TURNS THE OTHER WAY

Rain Reports Came to Relief of Bears and Prices Declined.

WHEAT CABLES STRONG

Needed Showers in Iowa Start Selling Movement in Wheat and Other Cereals Follow Suit, Closing Lower All Around.

[BY ASSOCIATED PRESS TO THE GAZETTE.]

Chicago, April 16.—There was a sharp and irregular action in the grain pits today. Dry weather reports were strengthening influences early, but rain came to the relief of the bears and prices were forced down. May wheat closed ⅝@¾c lower, May corn 1¼c down, and May oats unchanged. Provisions lost 2½@5c to 15c.

Conditions in wheat favored better prices at the opening. Cables were strong at good advances, and dry weather reports continued to come from the suffering southwestern wheat country.

Bullish at the Opening.

Rains were reported in Oklahoma and Kansas, but mail advices generally stated that the recent rains were not sufficient and that much of the standing grain would have to be plowed up. Influential interests were buying early after a momentary reaction and prices for some time held strong. Near the noon hour a selling movement was started on reports of rain in Iowa, where there has been much misgiving of late. Some of the St. Louis crowd were heavy sellers, as were commission houses. The corn collapse was a strong bearish factor, and though the outsider was buying liberally, the day closed with much lower prices.

Doings in Wheat Market.

May wheat started a shade to ⅛@¼c up, at 74@74¼c, sold to 75¾c and then worked up to 74⅝c. On the decline May sold at 73⅜@73½c, closing ⅝@¾c lower at 73¾c. Local receipts were 46 cars, one of contract grade. Minneapolis and Duluth reported 96 cars, making a total for the three points of 144 cars, against 81 last week and 203 cars a year ago. Primary receipts were 253,000 bushels, compared to 481,000 bushels last year. Seaboard clearances in wheat and flour equaled 311,000 bushels. The seaboard reported exporters idle and cash grain business neglected because of the English strike.

Reaction in Corn.

Liquidation in corn ruled the day. Early influences of cables and wheat trade were bullish and helped corn for a time. The pit, however, was very nervous, and after some fairly heavy buying early the bears began to pound the market to force longs to let go. At top prices long corn came out, but the holders did not press

Stocks Were Active and Some Made Big Advances

BOOMS BROKE OUT IN SEVERAL NEW PLACES

New High Records Reached in Banking Group Because of New Plans.

ICE COMMON ADVANCED $2

A Pittsburgh Coal Co. Bond Issue Window Glass Active, but Lower. Fire Proofing Common Gained Nearly a Point—Electrics Dull.

The market on the Pittsburgh stock exchange yesterday was again quite active and rather sensational in spots, several sharp advances occurring in issues that have lately been neglected. Recent favorites had to take a back seat for the time being and the air is full of rumors and reports to account for the various movements. Conspicuous among these were the actions of several members of the banking group, and of these, Lincoln National bank was easily the leader. It opened at $130 and closed at $142, a new high record and an advance of $14 over the previous day, the sales amounting to 60 shares. This movement was due to the fact that the directors have decided to double the bank's capital by increasing it from $300,000 to $600,000. The new stock will probably be issued to present holders at not less than $125 a share (par being $50), and valuable rights are anticipated. Commercial National bank did not sell, but owing to the proposed combine of it with the Commonwealth Real Estate and Trust Company it advanced $12 to $200 bid, a new high record and the price at which the stock will be taken in. Yet another big advance was made, Union Trust Company jumping $15 to $775 bid, a new high record, though none sold. Mechanics National bank also entered the record-making class by advancing $1 to $132 bid, while Colonial Trust did the same by selling up $1 to $400. United Realty Trust recovered $3 to $140 and was in demand at that price.

The industrials offered the other features of the day and in these Consolidated Ice common was the star. It opened at 14½ and in a few moments jumped to 16, a gain of $2 from Tuesday. Later it reacted to 15¼, but rallied and closed at 15½, an advance of $1.50 for the day. At the windup the stock was strong at 15¾ bid, with more offering under it. The advance is due to the belief that dividends will be resumed in the stock in July, but in addition there were reports that the long-proposed deal was again well under way and that the stock was to fare exceptionally well under the new arrangement. The interests identified with the company and the American Window Glass Company are pretty much the same and as much of the Ice stock has been bought up quietly by insiders, it is said, it is thought something is up and a further advance is predicted. But it is well to remember that there has been a great deal of what looked like manipulation in Window Glass, and it might occur just as well in Ice. The latter has kept the public guessing for months and may do so still longer. Window Glass was quite active, selling over 2,600 shares, but after a firm opening it closed at 63⅛, sales and asked, a loss of ⅜. The preferred advanced ¼ to 88. The Steel issues were quiet but steady and practically unchanged. Fire Proofing was firmer and closed ¾ higher at 36. 1,400 shares having sold. There are lots of bulls on the stock, and it is tipped for 40. The preferred was dull and unchanged. River Coal was quiet and unchanged. Pittsburgh Coals were expected to be rather weaker owing to the proposed bond issue of $6,000,000 5 per cent bonds to mature in six years. The common held rather steady at 24¾, a loss of only ¼, but the preferred declined $1 to 80. There are many who did not favor the issuing of bonds to take precedence over preferred stocks, and for that reason it was expected the effect of the announcement would be bearish. It is a question, however, if this be the correct view. The Pittsburgh Coal Company's last annual statement showed that the company had purchased $6,300,000 worth of new coal lands and this money has been, it is said, borrowed from various institutions, which of course are paid interest. The issuing of the bonds will get these loans into one and at a fixed rate and save much money and trouble. The intention is to retire the bonds $1,000,000 a year so that the amount will be paid off in a short while. A question naturally arises as to what price a 5 per cent bond of from one to six years' life will bring. The issuing of these bonds will not affect the preferred stock any more than the common, for the preferred stock is, if the writer has been correctly informed, only preferred as to dividends, and not as to liquidation—faring in such an event alike with the common. Any way the interest on the $6,000,000 has to be paid and what difference does it make whether it is paid as bond coupons or bank charges? The coal lands of the company are valuable assets—far more valuable than the entire capitalization of the company, the proposed bonds included, and there is scarcely a possibility of their decreasing in worth as the years roll by. In the other stocks Philadelphia Company common, on what looked like Philadelphia buying, advancing to 49, while the preferred went up to 48½, a gain of ½. The Electrics were dull and unchanged, but Switch & Signal common was ½ higher at 55. Bonds were fairly active and firm.

PITTSBURGH FEATURES.

Bank exchanges decreased $181,463 55.

Sales Pittsburgh stock exchange 12,745½ shares and $35,000 bonds.

Lincoln National bank jumped $14 to $143.

Commercial National bank was $13 higher at $200 bid.

Union Trust Company advanced $15 to $775 bid.

Colonial Trust sold at $400.

Consolidated Ice common advanced to 16. Closed 15½, a gain of $1 50.

American Window Glass common sold 2,650 shares. Closed at 63½.

National Fire Proofing common advanced ⅞ to 36.

2,008 Philadelphia Company common sold. Closed at 49.

Pittsburgh Coal common declined ¼ to 24¾ and the preferred $1 to $89.

The steel stocks were steady, but featureless.

THE PITTSBURGH STOCK EXCHANGE RECORD.

SALES AND QUOTATIONS. WEDNESDAY, APRIL 16, 1902.

The public sales in detail were:

10 a. m. to 10:30 a. m.

100 A. W. Glass com. 63¾
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40 A. W. Glass com. 63¾
50 A. W. Glass com. 63¾
25 A. W. Glass com. 63¾
50 A. W. Glass com. 63⅝
100 N. F. Proof. pfd.. 42½
50 N. F. Proof. pfd.. 42½
10 Federal Nat. Bk.. 138½
10 Third Nat. Bk.... 200
10 Third Nat. Bk.... 200
25 Lincoln Nat. Bk.. 120
10 Lincoln Nat. Bk.. 131
10 Lincoln Nat. Bk.. 131
60 Con. Ice com..... 14½
50 Con. Ice com..... 14½
50 Con. Ice com..... 15
20 Con. Ice com..... 15
50 Con. Ice com..... 16
125 Con. Ice com..... 16
12 Colonial Trust.... 390
100 West. Elec. 2ds.. 113
100 West. Elec. 2ds.. 113
5 Cruc. Steel com.... 87½
200 Cruc. Steel com.... 88
50 N. F. Proof. com.. 35½
50 N. F. Proof. com.. 35½
45 N. F. Proof. com.. 35½
55 P. S. Car pfd..... 84
100 U. S. Steel com.. 41½

10:30 a. m. to 12:30 p. m.

25 Con. Ice com..... 15⅝
100 Con. Ice com..... 15⅝
25 Con. Ice com..... 16
25 Con. Ice com..... 16
50 Con. Ice com..... 16
50 Con. Ice com..... 16
50 Con. Ice com..... 16
100 Con. Ice com..... 16
50 Con. Ice com..... 15⅝
100 Con. Ice com..... 15½
100 Con. Ice com..... 15½
50 Con. Ice com..... 15½
50 Con. Ice com..... 15½
25 Con. Ice com..... 15⅝
100 N. F. Proof. com.. 35½
25 N. F. Proof. com.. 35½
75 N. F. Proof. com.. 35½
100 N. F. Proof. com.. 35½
50 N. F. Proof. com.. 35⅝
100 N. F. Proof. com.. 35⅝
100 N. F. Proof. com.. 35⅝
100 N. F. Proof. com.. 35⅝
25 N. F. Proof. com.. 35½
100 N. F. Proof. com.. 35⅝
37 Colonial Trust.... 400
5 Colonial Trust.... 400
*25 Cruc. Steel pfd... 87
10 Cruc. Steel pfd... 87
50 Cruc. Steel pfd... 87
50 Cruc. Steel pfd... 87
5 Cruc. Steel pfd... 87
20 Cruc. Steel pfd... 87½
20 A. W. Glass com.. 63¾
50 A. W. Glass com.. 63¾
100 A. W. Glass com.. 63¾
20 A. W. Glass com.. 63¾
40 A. W. Glass com.. 63¾
10 A. W. Glass com.. 63¾
50 A. W. Glass com.. 63¾
50 A. W. Glass com.. 63¾
50 A. W. Glass com.. 63¾
15 Guarantee Trust.. 140
100 Phila. Co. com.... 48⅝
200 Phila. Co. com.... 48¾
200 Phila. Co. com.... 48¾
200 Phila. Co. com.... 48¾
300 Phila. Co. com.... 48¾
8 Phila. Co. com.... 49
125 M. R. Coal com.. 13
50 N. P. Glass com.. 148
1 P. P. Glass com.. 146
12 Con. Gas pfd..... 88
200 Pgh. Coal com.... 24⅞
100 Pgh. Coal com.... 24⅞
5 United Realty Co.. 140
100 Cruc. Steel com.. 23
50 Cruc. Steel com.. 23
350 Cruc. Steel com.. 23
100 Pgh. Brew. com.. 26⅝
50 Pgh. Brew. com.. 26⅝
25 Pgh. Brew. com.. 26⅝
25 Pgh. Coal pfd.... 89½
25 Pgh. Coal pfd.... 89½
50 Pgh. Coal pfd.... 89⅝
5 Allegheny Trust.. 155
10 U. S. Steel com.. 41¼
100 U. S. Steel com.. 41
100 Am. Locomo. pfd. 84½
50 A. W. Glass pfd.. 90
100 A. W. Glass pfd.. 90
25 West. Elec. 2ds.. 113
10 West. Elec. 2ds.. 113
60 M. R. Coal com.. 13
100 Phila. Co. pfd.... 48
25 Phila. Co. pfd.... 48½
40 N. P. Proof. pfd.. 42¾
10 N. P. Proof. pfd.. 42¾
50 N. F. Proof. pfd.. 42¾

12:30 p. m. to 2 p. m.

50 Phila. Co. com.... 49
100 Phila. Co. com.... 49
400 Phila. Co. com.... 49
500 Phila. Co. com.... 49
50 A. W. Glass com.. 63½
50 A. W. Glass com.. 63½
50 A. W. Glass com.. 63⅝
100 American com.... 15
30 Cruc. Steel pfd... 87¾
25 U. S. & S. com.... 94½
100 Cruc. Steel com.. 23¾
25 Cruc. Steel com.. 23¾
50 N. F. Proof. com.. 35¾
95 N. F. Proof. com.. 35¾
50 M. R. Coal pfd.. 43¾

2 p. m. to 3 p. m.

150 N. P. Proof. com. 36
100 N. F. Proof. com. 36
5 N. F. Proof. com.. 35¾
50 N. F. Proof. com.. 36
25 N. F. Proof. com.. 36
100 N. F. Proof. com.. 36
2 P. P. Glass com.. 145
50 A. W. Glass com.. 63½
50 A. W. Glass com.. 63½
100 A. W. Glass com.. 63¾
50 A. W. Glass com.. 63¾
100 A. W. Glass com.. 63¾
16 A. W. Glass com.. 63¾
10 A. W. Glass com.. 63¾
100 A. W. Glass com.. 63¾
100 A. W. Glass com.. 63¾
50 A. W. Glass com.. 63¼
50 A. W. Glass com.. 63¼
50 A. W. Glass com.. 63¼
100 A. W. Glass com.. 63¼
1,000 Trade Dol. Min.. $1.85
50 N. F. Proof. pfd.. 42¾
10 U. S. & S. com.... 95
44 Third N. B., Pgh. 200
25 Third N. B., Pgh. 200
35 Third N. B., Pgh. 200
100 Man. L. & Heat.. 65½
10 Man. L. & Heat.. 66
10 Lincoln Nat. Bk.. 142
5 Lincoln Nat. Bk.. 142
100 Con. Gas pfd..... 44
20 Pgh. Brew. pfd.... 46
50 Pgh. Coal pfd.... 45¾
10 Pgh. Brew. pfd.... 46
92 P. P. Glass com.. 146
50 Pgh. Coal pfd.... 89
50 Pgh. Coal pfd.... 89
100 Pgh. Coal pfd.... 89
25 Pgh. Coal com.... 24⅝
5 West. Elec. 2ds.. 112½
50 M. R. Coal pfd.. 43½
100 Con. Ice com..... 15½
*25 Phila. Co. com.... 49
$4,000 U. S. Steel 5s..*112¾
$30,000 Con'l St. Ry. 5s.. 98
$3,000 P., McK. & C. 5s.. 101¾
$5,000 Phila. Co. 5s, sep.. 107½
$700 Phila. Co. 5s, sep.. 107½
$1,300 Phila. Co. 5s, sep.. 107½
25 Phila. Co. p. scp.. 46½
$24,50 Phila. Co. p. scp.. 46½
$1 Phila. Co. p. scp.. 48½
$40 Phila. Co. p. scp.. 48
20 Penna. R. R. war.. 1½
80 Penna. R. R. war.. 1½
140 Penna. R. R. war.. 1⅝
13 Penna. R. R. war.. 1⅝
40 Penna. R. R. war.. 1⅝

*And interest.

The total public sales were 12,745½ shares of stock, $35,000 bonds, $2,270 50 scrip and 311 warrants; total preceding Wednesday, 9,725 shares of stock, $42,000 bonds and $875 scrip; total same day last year, 32,340 shares of stock, $27,900 bonds and 10 stock receipts.

Closing bids and offers were:

STOCKS.	Bid.	Ask.		Bid.	Ask.		Bid.	Ask.		Bid.	Ask.
Pgh. Bks.			Ally. Elec.			Do 2d....	112	112½	Do pfd...	48	48½
Com. Nat..	200	....	B. of S. N.	75	....	Miscel.			P. S. C. pfd	83½	84
Fifth Nat..	56	....	D.S.P. & P.	250	255	Am. W. Gl.	63	63½	U. S. & S. com.	94½	95
Marine Nat.	....	119	Ally. Trust	155	....	Do pfd..	89½	90¾	Do pfd..		110
Mechan. N.	132	....	Oil Cos.			Con. Ice....	15½	16	U. S. Glass	33½	....
Monon. Nat.	169	....	Hazelwood	....	49	Cruc. Steel	23	23½	West. Adm.	179	180
Penna. Nat.	....	202	Luster.....	....	12¾	Do pfd..	87½	88	W. P. Proof.	35¾	36
Peoples N.	356	....	Clty. Pgh.			M. R. Coal	13	13½	Do pfd..	42¾	42¾
W. S. & D.	102	....	Phots. Val.	26¾	....	Do pfd..	42½	43½	U. S. Steel	41	41⅛
Trust Cos. & Realtors			A. V. pfd..	26¼	26¾	Manufen	8¾	9	Do pfd..	90	....
Pgh. Trust.	....	115	A. V. pfd..	26¼	26¾	Pgh. Brew.	26½	26⅝	BONDS.		
Union Trust	775	....	Char. Ry..	....	146	Do pfd..	45¾	46	Miscel		
Equit. Trust	120	....	P. & C....	....	165	Pgh. Coal	24½	24⅞	Pgh. Br. 6s	111	111¾
Amer. Trust	204½	127	Electric.			Do pfd..	88¼	89			
*H. S. & T.	140	150	West. Ist..	....	115	Phila. Co..	48	49¼			

*Not recorded.

Flour Prices Advance Ten Cents a Barrel

PITTSBURGH PRICES FOR FARM PRODUCTS

Shelled Corn Quotations Are Higher — Potato Market Strong and Steady.

Hay, Grain and Feed.

Markets all continue firm, with an advance to note in shelled corn. Hay is in light receipts, with demand consequently more active. Receipts bulletined: Pennsylvania lines, 3 cars; hay, 10 cars oats, 1 car rye, 1 car corn; Baltimore & Ohio railroad, 1 car oats; 1 car straw; Pittsburgh & Lake Erie railroad, 1 car hay; 1 car corn, 1 car rye. Total receipts, 20 cars.

Following are the official quotations for hay, milfeed, corn, oats and straw, corrected by the superintendent of the Pittsburgh grain exchange:

Straw—Oat, $7 00@7 50; wheat, $7 00@7 50; rye, $8 00@8 25.

Hay—Choice timothy, $15 50@16 00; No. 1 do, $15 00@15 50; No. 2 do, $13 00@14 00; No. 1 mixed, $10 50@10 75; No. 1 clover, $9 50@10 00; prairie, $10 50@11 50; packing, $8 00@9 00; loose from wagons, $16 00@17 00.

Rye—Milling price, delivered, No. 2 Michigan, 66½@67c.

Wheat—No. 2 red winter, 73@74c f. o. b. cars within radius of 50 miles of Pittsburgh.

Corn—No. 2 yellow shelled, 67½@68c; high mixed, 66½@67c; No. 2 mixed, 65½@66c; No. 2 yellow, ear, 67@68c; high mixed, 66½@67c; No. 2 mixed, 64½@65c.

Oats—No. 2 white, 49@50c; extra No. 3, 48@48c; regular, 47@48c.

Milfeed—White middlings, per ton, No. 2, $23 00@24 50; brown, $19 50@20 00; bran, $19 50@20 00.

Groceries.

Mills have advanced the price of flour 10 cents a barrel, jobbers have followed the advance. The wheat market is firmer, affected to some extent probably by the agitation of higher prices which will result in England how that a duty is to be imposed on imported wheat and flour in that country. In other lines groceries are unchanged, coffee being weak and sugar depressed on account of the flat condition of the raw market.

Figure—Jobbers' prices: Fancy spring patents, $4 05@4 10; fancy winter patents, $4 00@4 05; straight winters, $3 60@3 75; bakers', spring, $3 00@3 40; rye, $3 45@3 60; graham, $4 25@4 50; cornmeal, bbl, $3 25@3 60; 10-lb sacks bags, 18@18c.

Sugar—Standard granulated, 4.80c; fine granulated, bbl, 100-lb and 25-lb cut bags, 4.90c; 5-lb cartons, 5.10c; 2-lb cartons, 5.30c; powdered XXXX, 5.05c; cubes, 5.05c; cutloaf, 5.50c; confectioners' A, 4.70c; coffee A, 4.45@4.50c; No. 1 yellow, 4.30c; No. 2 do, 4.25c. No. 2 do, 4.20c. Quotations are for Pittsburgh and Allegheny wagon delivery. Add 5c per 100 lbs for full shipments to points within a radius of 50 miles of Pittsburgh.

Cereals—Rolled oats, bbl, $5 00; kegs, 95c; rolled wheat, bbl, $5 50; kegs, $2 50@2 75; oatmeal, bbl, $5 50; keys, $2 90.

Molasses—Fancy refined, 30@32c; choice do, 26@28c; strictly prime do, 22@25c; fancy open kettle, 36@38c; fancy sugar syrup, 30@32c; sugar and cane, 27@30c; syrup in 2½-lb tin cans, $1 05; 5-lb, $1 25; 10-lb, $2 20; 10-lb, $4 00 per dozen.

Coffee—Rio, roasted, bulk, Rio, 10½@12c; Santos, 12½@21½c; Maracaibo, 17@17½c; Peaberry, 17@18c; Mocha, 25c; Java, 28@30c; Golden Rio, 14½ cents; Java, Mocha and Golden Rio blends, 1-lb pkgs, 10.80c (with rebate of ¾c allowed to retailers); high grades, 1-lb pkgs, $14 30@16 50.

Beans—Prime marrowfat, bu, $2 30@2 35; H. P. navy, $1 70@1 75; red kidney, $2 35@2 40; California Limas, 5¾@6¾c.

Peas—Dried peas, $1 60@1 65; Scotch, per bu, $1 70@1 75; split peas, bbl, $6 75; less, 25c per bu.

Rice—Carbon, 110 deg., 9c; headlight, 95c; water white, 10c; Elaine, 13¾c; Ohio W. W. test, 9¾c; miners Lewis, 5½@5½c; special, brands, 6¾@7c; prime refined, 7½c.

Rice—Extra, fancy head, 6¾@7c; fancy Japan, choice Carolina, 6@6½c; prime Carolina, 4½@5c.

Salt—No. 1 per bbl; No. 1 extra, $1 10; dairy, $1 30; granulated rock, 95c sack; pocket salt, $1 50@1 85.

Fish—No. 1 mess mackerel, bbls, $23 00; half bbls, $12 00; quarter bbls, $7 25; 10-lb kits, $1 75; 10-lb pails, $1 50. No. 2 mackerel, new, bbls, $15 50; half bbls, $8 00; quarter bbls, $4 25; 10-lb kits, $1 50; 10-lb pails, $1 30. No. 3 mackerel, new, bbls, $13 50; half bbls, $7 25; quarter bbls, $3 75; 10-lb quarters, $1 10; 10-lb kits, 95c.

Canned Goods.

Standard pie peaches, 80@85c; gallon pie peaches, $2 50@2 60; California 1-lb pears, $1 75@1 85; Maryland pears, $2 25@2 75; corn, per doz, $1 05@1 10; corn, per doz, $2 00@2 25; California white, $2 00@2 25; lima beans, $1 20@1 40; soaked lima beans, 70@80c; string do, 80@85c; marrowfat peas, 90c@$1 10; early June peas, per doz, $1 50@1 60; soaked peas, 70@80c; pineapples, gal cans, $4 00@4 50; pineapples, 1-lb cans, per doz, $1 20@1 30; red cherries, gal cans, $4 00@4 50; red cherries, 2-lb cans, per doz, $1 50@1 60; strawberries, gal cans, $4 00@4 50; raspberries, gal cans, $4 00@4 50; raspberries, 2-lb cans, per doz, $1 50@1 60; blackberries, gal cans, $4 00@4 50; blackberries, 2-lb cans, per doz, $1 50@1 60; gooseberries, 95c@$1 00; standard tomatoes, $1 00@1 40; fancy do, $1 45@1 55; salmon, doz 1-lb cans, $1 00@2 30; succotash, 1-lb cans, 65c@$1 40; chipped beef, 1-lb cans, $2 40@2 75; corned and roast beef, cans, $1 35@2 50; mackerel, 2 and 3-lb cans, broiled, $1 75@2 00; sardines, domestic, ¼s, $3 40@3 50; mustards, ⅛s, $2 75; French, $7 00@14 25; oysters, 1-lb full weight, 95c@$1 25; 2-lb full weight, $1 80; 1-lb lunch, flat cans, $1 10.

Dried Fruits.

Evaporated apricots, in bags, 11@12c; 25-lb boxes, 12@13c; apples, in bulk, 10c; 1-lb cartons, 10@12c; peaches, 8@12c; raisins, seeded, 1-lb pkgs, 9@9½c; raisins, Muscatels, 2 and 4-crown, 50-lb boxes, 6½@7½c per lb; Ondaglia Valencia, 8@8½c; California Valencia, 7c; raspberries, 25½@27½c; currants, cleaned, 25 and 50-lb pkgs, 7½@7¾c; California prunes, 3¾@8½c.

Fruits and Produce.

Firm conditions continue to prevail in the potato situation, prices being very strong, with the prediction being made by dealers that the quotations before they decline. Cabbage is steady, old likely to clean up at present prices. Spinach was higher yesterday, tomatoes were firmer, and strawberries were lower. Celery was steady, with open crates offering a little lower. Trade in all green stuff is active.

Apples—Choice and fancy, $2 50@4 50; California, box, $1 50@2 50; Florida, box, $1 25@1 75.

Potatoes—On track, per bu, 60@65c; carloads, fancy, 90@95c; fancy from store, $1 00; fancy, per bag, $1 75@2 25; Bermuda, per bbl, $8 00@9 00; Jersey sweets, fancy crates, $1 75@2 00.

Carrots—Per bbl, $1 00@1 25; per doz, bunches, 35@40c.

Cucumbers—Hothouse, $1 00@1 40.

Onions—Per bbl, $1 50@2 50; per bu, 75@$1 00; Spanish, crate, $1 00@1 75; silver skins, $2 50@4 00; Valencia, per crate, $4 00@4 25; Havanas, per box, $2 50@2 75.

Horseradish—Per lb, 5@7½c.

Watercress—Per doz, 50@60c.

Oyster plant—Per doz, 30@40c.

Celery—Medium, 25@40c; large, 50@60c; Florida, per crate, $2 00@2 25.

Rutabagas—Per bbl, 90c@$1 00.

Cabbage—German seed, per ton, $18 00@22 00; per bbl, $1 25@1 50; per cabbage, per crate, $2 00@2 50; per bbl, $1 25@1 50.

Leeks—Per doz, 75@90c.

Parsnips—Per bbl, $1 00@1 25.

Oysters—New sweet potatoes, bbls, $4 50@5 00; old sharp apple juice, bbl, $1 50@3 00; choice crabapple, bbl, $5 00@6 00; refined apple juice, gal, 20@15c; pure cider vinegar, bbl, $3 00; 20-gal kegs, $5 00@5 25; pure cider juice, 25@30c; sand refined, per bbl, $5 75@6 00; kegs, $3 50; per gal, 10@20c.

Beets—Per bbl, $1 00@1 50; per bunch, 40@50c.

Parsley—New southern, per doz, 50@60c.

Mushrooms—Per lb, 40@50c.

Radishes—Per doz, 20@25c.

Tomatoes—Florida, per 6-basket carriers, fancy, $2 50@3 00; choice, $2 25@2 50.

Spinach—Per bu, 60@70c.

Green Onions—Per doz, 12@15c; New Orleans Charlottes, 40@50c.

Lettuce—Home grown, per doz, 60@75c; hothouse, 50@60c per basket; head lettuce, bbl, $3 00@7 00; Endive, $3 00@3 00; Florida hampers, $2 00@2 25.

Florida egg plant—Per box, $4 00@4 50.

Turnips—Washed, 50@75c.

Garlic—Per lb, 7@8c.

String Beans—Green, $3 50@4 00; wax, $3 00@3 50.

Strawberries—Florida, per qt, 25@35c.

Kohlrabi—Per doz bunches, 30@40c.

Honey—White comb, 15@17c; New York white clover, 17@18c; buckwheat, 13@12c.

Maple syrup—70@$1 00 per gal.

Mango peppers—Per crate, $2 50@3 00.

Cranberries—Per crate, $2 00@2 25.

Rhubarb—Per doz, 50@75c.

Kale—Per bbl, 75c@$1 25.

Asparagus—California, green, per doz, $1 25@1 50; white, large bunch, 20@40c.

Peas—Florida, $1 50@3 00 per crate.

Squash—Florida, per box, $1 75@2 00.

Tropical Fruits and Nuts.

Limes—Per box, $1 00.

Lemons—California, $3 00@3 25; Messina, $3 00@3 50.

Pineapples—Florida, per crate, $4 00@4 50.

California Pears—Peaboddy, $3 00@3 25.

Cocoanuts—Per sack, $4 00@4 50.

Oranges—California navel, $2 25@3 75; seedlings, $2 50@3 00.

Bananas—Per bunch, $1 50@2 75; eights, $1 00@1 25; sevens, 75c@$1 00.

Grape Fruit—Jamaica, per box, $5 00@5 50; California, $2 50@3 00.

Dates—Persian, 4c; Fard, 6@6½c per lb.

Figs—24-lb pack, 14c per lb.

Nuts—Almonds, 15c; filberts, 11c; English walnuts, 11@12c; pecans, 12@13c; Brazil nuts, 9c; mixed nuts, 11c; peanuts, jumbos, 7c; fancy hand picked, 5c per lb; shellbarks, $1 50 @2 00 per bu; walnuts, per bu, 40@65c; 84 John's bread, 4c; California papershell almonds, 15c; Italian chestnuts 5c.

Butter, Eggs and Cheese.

Pittsburgh characterizes the situation in all lines as unchanged. Eggs are coming in moderately, the real selling price being about 17c.

Butter—Elgin creamery, prints, 23@23½c; do tubs, 22½@23c; Ohio and Pennsylvania creamery, 20@20½c; dairy butter, 18c; fresh country roll, 17c; cooking butter, 16@17c.

Cheese—New York full cream, 13@13½c; Ohio, 12½@13c; ¾ cream, Ohio, 11½@12c; Ohio Swiss, tubs, 13½@14c; Wisconsin Swiss, tubs, 15½@16c; 20-lb block cheese, Swiss, 14@14½c; 5-lb brick cheese, 15@15½c; limburger, 13½@14c.

Eggs—Southern, fresh, per doz, 16½c; Ohio and Pennsylvania, 17@17½c; duck eggs, 18@20c; goose eggs, 30c.

Poultry.

Poultry prices are nominally unchanged, although some fancy live stock bringing figures slightly above the market for heavy chickens. Demand is active, and more stock could be sold than is arriving.

Chickens—Live, per lb, 12½@13½c; springers, 12½@13½c; roosters, 7@8c; turkeys, 14@15c; do dressed, 20@22c; geese, dressed, 10@ 12c; fresh spring dressed, 14@15c; frozen, spring broilers, $4 00@4 50 per doz; geese, live, 9@ 10c; dressed, 12@13c; ducks, live, 12@13c; do dressed, 17@18c.

Provisions.

Smoked meats—Large hams, 18 lbs and up, 12c; medium hams, over 14 to 18 lbs, 12c; small hams, over 10 to 14 lbs, 12c; skinned hams, 10 lbs and under, 12c; skinned hams, 13¼c; boneless boiled hams, 19c; California hams, 9c; shoulders, New York cut, 9c; picnic shoulders (skinned), 9½c; breakfast bacon (rib), 8 to 10 lbs, 12½c; breakfast bacon (rib), 10 to 12 lbs, 11½c; breakfast bacon (clear), 8 to 10 lbs, 11¾c; breakfast bacon (clear), 10 to 12 lbs, 11¼c; breakfast bacon (clear), back stripe, 10½c.

Dry salt meats—Sides (extra short clears), 10c; bellies, over 20 to 25 lbs, 10¼c; bellies, from 16 to 20 lbs, 10½c; bellies, under 16 lbs, 10½c.

Dry salt smoked meats—Sides (extra short clears), 10¾c; bellies, over 20 to 25 lbs, 11c; bellies, from 16 to 20 lbs, 11¼c; bellies, under 16 lbs, 11¾c.

Lard—Pure lard (tierces), 10¼c; compound lard (tierces), 8¼c. The advance for smaller packages over tierces is as follows: Barrels (about 240 lbs), ¼c; half bbls (about 100 lbs), ½c; fancy tubs, 60 lbs, ⅝c; plain, hardwood tubs, net, 60 lbs, ¾c; wooden buckets, net, 20 lbs, ⅝c; 50-lb tin pails (one or two in a case), ½c; 10-lb tin pails (6 in a case), ¾c; 5-lb tin pails (12 in a case), ¾c; 3-lb tin pails (20 in a case), 1c.

Seeds.

Clover—From store, recleaned, 60-lb bu, small, $5 25@5 35; mammoth, $5 35@5 45; crimson, $4 75@5 00; white, Dutch, 90@ 11 00; alsike, $10 00@10 50; alfalta, $6 50@ 6 75; timothy, $3 25@3 30; orchard grass, $1 00@1 75; millet, $1 70@1 75; Hungarian grass, 80c@$1 10. lawn grass, 18@20c per lb; bluegrass, 14-lb bu, $1 50@1 75; red top, 14-lb bu, $1 10@2 00.

STILL ANOTHER DECREASE

Pittsburgh Bank Exchanges for Yesterday $181,000 Smaller Than a Year Ago.

Pittsburgh bank exchanges for yesterday showed a loss of $181,000 compared with that for the same day last year, but a gain of about $1,709,000 compared with the preceding Wednesday. The local money market remains unchanged, with the rate for call and time loans at 5@6 per cent. The official clearing house reports in detail for the days mentioned are as follows:

	Exchanges.	Balances.
Yesterday	$8,101,982 35	$ 985,488 09
Previous Wednesday	6,408,374 90	899,316 82
Last year	8,285,445 98	1,541,171 09

Yesterday's decrease, $181,463 23.

Reports from other cities were:

PHILADELPHIA, April 16.—Clearings, $21,- 845,428; balances, $2,621,705; money, 4½ per cent.

BALTIMORE, April 16.—Clearings, $4,368,- 511; balances, $620,856; money, 5 per cent.

NEW YORK, April 16.—Exchanges, $128,- 170,266; balances, $13,096,981.

BOSTON, April 16.—Exchanges, $29,708,046; balances, $2,406,239.

CHICAGO, April 16.—Clearings, $31,866,904; balances, $3,128,995. Posted exchange $4.86 for 60 days, $4.88½ on demand. New York exchange 25c premium.

CINCINNATI, April 16.—Money 4@6 per cent. New York exchange, 10@20c premium. Clearings, $3,978,400.

ST. LOUIS, April 16.—Clearings, $11,871,871; balances, $1,193,193. Money 4½@6 per cent. New York exchange, 25c premium.

Treasury Statement.

WASHINGTON, April 16.—Today's statement of the treasury balances in the general fund, exclusive of the $150,000,000 gold reserve in the division of redemption shows: Available cash balances, $171,415,442; gold, $62,017,227; silver, $18,323,710; United States notes, $8,190,373; treasury notes of 1890, $173,- 769; national bank notes, $8,417,756; total receipts this month, $2,964,626; total receipts this month, $24,406,818; total receipts this year, $443,408,493; total expenditures this day, $2,360,000; total expenditures this month, $22,- 175,000; total expenditures this year, $380,010,- 901; deposits in national banks, $119,843,865.

Consolidated Stock Exchange.

On the Consolidated stock exchange yesterday the posted sales in detail were:

50 shares American Window Glass..... 63¾
65 shares American Window Glass..... 63¾
40 shares American Window Glass..... 63¾
50 shares American Window Glass..... 63¾
20 shares American Window Glass..... 63¾
50 shares National Fire Proofing pfd..... 42¾
25 shares National Fire Proofing pfd..... 42¾
50 shares National Fire Proofing com..... 35¾
40 shares National Fire Proofing com..... 35¾
25 shares National Fire Proofing com..... 35¾
30 shares American Window Glass..... 63¾
20 shares American Window Glass..... 63¾
25 shares American Window Glass..... 63¾
100 shares United States Proofing pfd..... 42¾
50 shares Westinghouse Electric 2nds..... 113
50 shares Consolidated Ice..... 16
25 shares Consolidated Ice..... 16

Whisky.

CINCINNATI, April 16.—Whisky, distillers finished goods, steady, on basis of $1 30.

THIS Corporation owns and controls an Oil Field located in Southern Texas, of 142 square miles. Its wells produce the finest and richest grades of illuminant and lubricating oil.

Final Notice of Advance.

Intending investors in King-Crowther Corporation stock are reminded that the price of this stock will positively be advanced from $1.25 to $2 per share at the close of business Saturday, April 19. Under no circumstances or conditions will a single share of this stock ever be sold at a price less than $2.00 after that date. This is a final notice—the last call! The time for action is now! Mail orders must bear postmark not later than midnight April 19. This is fair warning to everybody! Certificates issued in lots of 100 shares or more. Send money by certified check, bank draft, postoffice or express money order or registered letter. Better still, call at the corporation's Pittsburgh office.

THE estimated cash value of the land held by this Corporation, capitalized at only $3,000,000, is now placed at $46,000,000. Six months ago it was a "trackless waste."

BUY IT TODAY AT $1.25

Among the things that are very likely to happen in the near future is that this stock may sell at $50 per share. It will never again sell at a price less than $2 per share after this week. That is certain.

SATURDAY IT GOES TO $2.00

THINGS TO REMEMBER.

The wells of this Corporation produce the finest and richest grades of illuminating and lubricating oil in the world. It flows in greatest abundance. Thirty thousand acres of our holdings absolutely proven to contain this high-grade oil in quantities sufficient for big commercial success. There is a waiting market for this oil at prices ranging from 85 cents to $1 2 per barrel. It is estimated that twenty-five wells will enable the corporation to pay 100 per cent in honest dividends on the investment at the present price of stock. We expect to be operating not less than fifty wells within one year. Other companies and individuals are leasing small tracts of us and assisting in the great work of development which we have inaugurated.

General Manager Sam Crowther is now being personally assisted by Vice-President O. E. Lewis and Treasurer W. R. Usher in carrying forward this development work. Tank No. 1, for storage 100,000 gallons oil, completed. Pipe lines being surveyed to tidewater and nearby railroad stations.

THIS Corporation now has working equipment in the field—drilling machines, piping, etc., valued at nearly $100,000, purchased during the past six months, and it is all paid for.

AND THE HALF HAS NOT BEEN TOLD!

King-Crowther Corporation

Shannon Building,
326 FOURTH AVENUE,
PITTSBURGH.

THE outlook now is that the dividends of this corporation will cause stock to advance to $10 per share, if not five times that amount, before the Corporation is two years old.

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HENRY C. FRICK PAYS $264,000 FOR FIVE LOTS

Are at Nos. 427-437 Diamond Street and Were Bought from A. W. Mellon.

B. & O. DEALS OF $80,000

Site for Big Machine Shop at Hazlewood Bought for $30,000—Albert Barr the Purchaser of Old Horne Building in Wood Street.

H. C. Frick has again entered the real estate market, this time as the buyer of a block of Diamond street property for $264,000. The former owner was Andrew W. Mellon, who has owned the property over two years. The block is bounded by Diamond street, Cherry alley, Scrip alley, the narrow alley between the Frick and the Carnegie buildings, and Relief alley, which runs in the rear of the Carnegie building. The property is known as Nos. 427-437 Diamond street, and has a frontage of 120 feet in the north side of that thoroughfare and a depth of 95.88 feet. Five brick buildings, all facing in Diamond street, occupy the site. These are a three-story office building at the corner of Diamond street and Cherry alley, formerly occupied by Judge Cohen; three brick buildings of two stories each, adjoining, and a double brick three-story office building at the corner of Diamond street and Scrip alley.

Owns All But the Carnegie Building.

By this purchase Mr. Frick becomes the owner of the entire square bounded by Fifth avenue, Cherry alley, Diamond and Grant streets, with the exception of the Carnegie building. No particulars could be learned yesterday as to the probable disposition of the property and rumors were rife of another skyscraper which might be erected. The location is considered the best in the city for attorneys, and Diamond street has been for several years a rendezvous for men in this profession. The price paid for the property, $2,200 a foot, is another evidence of the rapid advance in the value of downtown real estate. A lot in this same square was sold in 1896 for $630 a foot for the Diamond street frontage, and less than five years ago property near by sold for $1,400 a front foot.

B. & O. Deals at Glenwood.

The Baltimore & Ohio Railway Company has purchased 26 properties near Glenwood station for $80,000. The deals, which have been pending for three months, have all been conducted through the agency of H. O. Hornberger of Hazlewood. The last of the sales was closed yesterday, and with those preceding it makes the railroad the owner of three acres. The property bought is bounded by four streets and has the following frontages: Five hundred and forty-six feet in the south side of Lytle street, 428 feet in Blair street, 240 feet each in Vespucius and Renova streets, the latter intersecting the property, and 72 feet in Keokuk alley. On the land are 26 dwellings, partly frame and partly brick. These are now being rented by Mr. Hornberger on 30-day leases, and it is probable that the work of tearing them down to make room for tracks will begin inside of two months.

Shops Will Be Enlarged.

This block of property is only a few feet distant from the roundhouse and car-shops of the Baltimore & Ohio, and will give the railroad greatly increased facilities for switching. A part of the ground will be utilized also for an extension of the shops.

All doubt as to who was the real purchaser of the old Horne building, at Nos. 610-614 Wood street, was removed yesterday by the registery of the deed, the consideration in which was $240,000. The transfer was from Durbin Horne and John G. Holmes, executors of the estate of Joseph Horne, to Albert J. Barr. The lot measures 64x100 feet to Chauncey alley, making the rate of sale $4,444 a front foot, or about $71 a square foot. It thus appears that the Philadelphia Company, which now occupies the building, never secured title to it, as was reported, although the agreement, it is said, practically amounted to a purchase.

A $20,000 Sale at Hazlewood.

The American Foundry & Construction Company is the name of a newly organized concern that has purchased a manufacturing site at Hazelwood, for $20,000. The property was secured from Charles C. Kohne of the firm of Kohne Bros., dealers in plumbers supplies. It is known as the old Walters property and comprises about 1.25 acres. It is situated near Hazelwood avenue, between the Baltimore & Ohio railroad tracks and Kansas street and has a frontage of about 250 feet in each of these thoroughfares, and a depth of 200 feet. Three brick houses and one frame dwelling now occupy the lot. These were not included in the sale and will be moved by Mr. Kohne to a lot in Kansas street, 200 feet away. The new company will begin at once the erection of a two-story brick machine shop.

A Fine Machine Plant.

The shop will be 130x50 feet and will be, it is said, the most complete plant of its kind in the Pittsburgh district. In addition to this a handsome two-story office building is to be erected. The total cost of the improvements will be not less than $35,000.

An improved property in the west side of Locanston avenue, near Arabella street, Thirtieth ward, has changed hands for $12,000. The purchaser is D. J. Kennedy who takes title to the property from Nora M. Spaeth.

Architects Muller & East are preparing plans for the new United Presbyterian church building at Rochester. The structure will be of red brick and will cost in the neighborhood of $15,000. Bids will be asked in a few days.

New Church for West End.

Estimates for the Eleventh United Presbyterian church building in the West End are being received at the offices of the architects, Allison & Topp. It will be situated in Main street near Wabash street, and will cost, about $15,000. The same architects are asking bids on the Pleasant apartment house in Perrysville avenue, Allegheny. When the plans were made it was the intention of the owner to make it a four-story building, but it is probable that the new structure will be only three stories high. It will contain 12 flats of six rooms each, and will cost about $25,000.

Dr. F. S. Van Kirk will erect a $10,000 office and flat building at No. 7010 Hamilton avenue from plans now being prepared by Architect A. K. Miller.

Two Purchases in East End.

Kelly street: Catherine E. Wallace ought from James R. Morris an improved lot, 104x117 feet, in the south side of Kelly street, Thirty-seventh ward, for $3,800. Also from William L. Dixon a lot, 40x137 feet, at the southwest corner of Kelly and Hale streets, Thirty-seventh ward, for $2,500.

The deeds were delivered yesterday in the purchase by F. C. Kohne of a lot, 535x137 feet, in Murray avenue, between Edwin and Homewood avenues, Twenty-second ward, for $25,000. The deal was negotiated by W. A. Herron & Sons. It is Mr. Kohne's intention to build a $12,000 residence for himself in one corner of the plot and sell the rest for home sites.

Thirty-third street: Charles E. Showalter sold to J. H. Donovan an improved lot, 25x110 feet, at the southeast corner of Thirty-third and Hill streets, Thirteenth ward, for $2,200.

Loan Association Sells Lot.

Herr street: The Cash Building and Loan association of Pittsburgh sold to William S. Coe an improved lot, 22x54 feet, in the southeast side of Herr street, Thirteenth ward, for $1,220.

Second avenue: George C. Burgwin and others sold to William H. Barker an improved lot, 24x100 feet, in the east side of Second avenue, near Hazelwood avenue, Twenty-third ward, for $3,700.

Franklin street: Anna Szykowska sold to Anton Zawadnjak an improved lot, 20x90 feet, in Franklin street, Twenty-seventh ward, for $2,450.

Industry street: W. C. Kramer sold to G. Henry Schmunk a lot, 60x72 feet, in the north side of Industry street, Thirty-first ward, for $1,250.

A Seventh Ward Sale.

Washington street: Eliza Moran sold to Samuel H. Rubenstein a lot, 19x107 feet, in the west side of Washington street, Seventh ward, for $5,500.

Center avenue: Charles M. Thorp sold to Wm. Carter an improved lot, 47x100 feet, in the north side of Center avenue, Eleventh ward, for $9,000.

Alder street: Ada V. Welan sold to John H. McClarren an improved lot, 20x122 feet, in the north side of Alder street, near Spahr street, Twentieth ward, for $6,000.

Bellevue: William L. Scott & Co. sold for A. M. McWilliams to Martin G. Stitt two lots, 20x125 feet each, in Shade street, Bellevue, for $2,500.

Purchase in Holden Street.

Holden street: D. V. Murdock sold to John Liggett an improved lot, 20x48 feet, in the south side of Holden street, near College avenue, Twentieth ward, for $1,600.

Walnut street: George W. Martin sold to Samuel L. Wood a lot, 50x200 feet, at the northwest corner of Walnut and Shaler streets, Thirty-fifth ward, for $1,000.

Kedron avenue: James and Edward McLaughlin sold to Andrew J. Corcoran an improved lot, 25x93 feet, in the south side of Kedron avenue near Homewood avenue, Twenty-first ward, for $4,200.

Conkling street: John W. Little sold to James W. Witcher an improved lot, 20x81 feet, in the west side of Conkling street, Thirteenth ward, for $1,325.

Beelen street: George Waller sold to William Waller an improved lot, 25x108 feet, in the north side of Beelen street, Fourteenth ward, for $925.

Small Property Sold.

Grotto street: Sarah E. Lemmerli sold to Frank Hochsieder an improved lot, 52x125 feet, in the west side of Grotto street, Twenty-first ward, for $1,100.

Sarah street: Otto E. C. Homann sold to Frank Machink an improved lot, 20x120 feet, in the south side of Sarah street, near South Twenty-third street, Twenty-fifth ward, for $4,225.

Township avenue: Louis Renner sold to Charles F. Renner a lot, 54x108 feet, in the north side of Township avenue, Twenty-seventh ward, for $800.

Holmes street: Albert W. Duff sold to George Flack an improved lot, 20x105 feet, in the south side of Holmes street, Eighteenth ward, for $1,350.

South Side Purchase.

Carson street: Fred Wirth sold to Edward E. Sibbet a lot, 24x122 feet, in the southwest side of Carson street, Twenty-fourth ward, for $5,500.

Belvidere street: George W. Davis sold to N. S. G. Davis an improved lot, 19x54 feet, in Belvidere street, near Laurel street, Sixteenth ward, for $1,125.

Arlington avenue: Joseph Weber sold to Bennett Hilbert a lot, 24x154 feet, in the east side of Arlington avenue, Twenty-seventh ward, for $780.

Allegheny: W. L. Scott & Co. sold for Mrs. A. M. J. Burga to a well-known business man three houses of eight rooms each, at Nos. 134-138 Carroll street, corner of Arch street, Allegheny, for $7,500 cash.

A Small Transfer.

Ridge avenue: Barr Bros. & Co. sold for C. Seibert of New York to Martha Smolinski a lot, 25x100 feet, in Ridge avenue, Thirteenth ward, for $425.

Bellevue: The Real Estate Trust Company sold for C. W. Goodnough to Margaret C. Hamilton an improved lot, 90x150 feet, in Dawson avenue, Bellevue, for $2,000. The same company sold for the Pittsburgh & Homestead Company these lots in Mifflin street, New Homestead: To Millard Dillard a lot for $350, to Angelus Bell a lot for $300, to Anna S. Jones a lot for $250, to Hester Lee a lot for $225, to Albert Earley and Rosa F. Earley two lots for $400.

Mortgages Recorded.

*Correction Andrew J to J McLaughlin, Apr 12, '02 ..... $ 2,500
O'Halloran Thos M ex to M J McWilliams, Apr 15, '02 1,700
Mason W G to Emma Gense, Apr 6, '02 1,600
*Salkfeld H B to J A Walder, Apr 1, '02 3,000
Jacobs Geo T to P S McClure, Mch 22, '02 2,000
*Truxal W G to J W Barnes, Apr 14, '02 900
*Mehring Horace G to Jno Hare, Apr 15, '02 11,000
*Doherty Geo S ex to Hugh Irvine, Apr 16, '02 1,000
Ulrich Wm to G B Love, Apr 16, '02 2,000
Spires Chas ex to Henry Gunlock, Apr 1, '02 1,000
*Sloan Jacob ex to E McGimpsey, Apr 10, '02 5,300
*Atkinson E S to Reuben Rutter, Apr 15, '02 1,767
*Fitzgerald Patrick to Samuel Young, Apr 15, '02 350
Burgess Wm to H C Bugaman trustee, Apr 9, '02 3,750
Same to same, Apr 9, '02 3,750
Third Presb Ch to Rel Geo'ng, Apr 12, '02 5,155
MacGregor Jno W to South Side Trust Co, Apr 16, '02 5,000
Muirhead Lewis to Allegheny Trust Co, Apr 16, '02 2,500
*Kunze Henry S to Mercantile Trust Co, Mch 31, '02 5,000
Brennan P J to State Bank of Braddock, Mch 31, '02 5,000
McAbee E B to Safe Dep & T Co, Apr 10, '02 1,000
Same to same, Apr 16, '02 5,500
Ely Geo W to Board of Trus A T S, Apr 12, '02 5,000
Mayer Wm ex to Pattison B & L A, Apr 10, '02 800
Miller L M to New Amer B & L A, Apr 14, '02 5,500
Jusio William to Sonk City B & L A, Apr 16, '02 1,800
Zimmerli Andrew ex to Larimer Ave B & L A, Apr 15, '02 600
Bowers John to Old Reliable B & L A, Apr 14, '02 1,600
Col Wm T to Cash B & L A, Apr 16, '02 1,000
Lyon Jas S to East Pgh B & L A, Apr 9, '02 1,400
Wallace Frank S to Verona B & L A, Mch 7, '02 1,000
Remley Frank to same, Feb 15, '02 200
Finnegan D J to German N B & L A, Apr 8, '02 1,200
Diamond W A ex Corapolis C & L A, Apr 15, '02 500
Lauderbaugh J H to same, Apr 10, '02 400
Martin Ella to Mortgage Banking Co, Apr 15, '02 200
Rupert Wayland to same, Apr 14, '02 2,500
Same to same, Apr 14, '02 2,500
Wills Jno G to Peoples Sav Bk, Apr 6, '02 2,400
Winzer Joseph ex to Crescent Land Co, Apr 11, '02 450
Deringer Anton ex to Humboldt Fire Ins Co, Mch 29, '02 24,000

*Purchase money.

Transfers Recorded.

Pgh Bank for Savings to Robert R Yeshke, Apr 8, '02, 21 wd, Pgh, 20x67, Lowrie st ..... $ 3,700
Lozee Chas G to Oliver Iron & Steel Co, Mch 22, '02, Forward twp, lot 3,500
Lusk E Eneigene to Chas Freibeltshauser, Mch 1, '02, 14 wd, Pgh, 225x225, Bryonse st 17,300
Oakley Edward to Philip Kaunckenski, Apr 1, '02, Braddock, 25x125, Talbot ave 2,025
Walden Jas A to Howard B Salkeld, Apr 1, '02, Carnegie, lot, Reamer ave
Sumner Dorothy to Amanda Sumner, Apr 9, '02, Edgewood, lot, Savannah ave. 2,000
Kleber Harry J. to Thos H Bradley, Mch 18, '02, 2 wd, Allegheny, 120x138, Fremont st 5,100
Hoffman C J to D M Miller, Apr 2, '02, 2d wd, Pgh, 41x108, Pacific ave 6,500
Wilson Eliza to Co E U Knights of St George, Mch 13, '02, 24 wd, Pgh, 40x109, Sarah st 5,500
Kelly Annie M to Robert Martin, Mch 17, '02, 20 wd, Pgh, 50x152, College ave 10,500
Grubbs Mary J to A W Duff, Mch 29, '02, Wilkinsburg, 35x115, Walnut ave
Painter Jno W to Ida B Wiekard, Mch 29, '02, 7 wd, McKeesprt, 30x100, Maple st 2,100
McCann Frank to Rebecca B Berger, Apr 11, '02, 4 wd, Pgh, 40x115, Liberty ave 90,400
Miller Elizabeth to Jno W Moore, Apr 3, '02, 18 wd, Pgh, 50x93, Swan alley
Culbison Frank E to Letitia Vaux, Mch 31, '02, Bellevue, lot, Monroe ave 1,100
Watson Mary A to David Harris, Mch 26, '02, Cosmopolis, 25x85, Mill st 2,550
Ei Josephine to Gottlieb Vith, Apr 10, '02, Mt. Oliver, 25x121, Keller st 2,500
Neilson Robert to Joseph A Little, July 30, '01, McKeesport, lot, Irwin ave 1,550
Ryan Michael to Sigmund Lenchner, Mch 29, '02, S wd, McKeesport, 24x90, Center ave 1,500
Hargrau Jno C to Annie T Madden, Apr 9, '02, Homestead, Pa, 80x110, Fourth ave 4,300
Repo Jas F to Saml M Lee, Apr 11, '02, Ben Avon, 60x147, Church ave 4,000
Herr Henry L ex to Alfred W Duff, Apr 1, '02, Wilkinsburg, 66x122, Penn ave; Wilkinsburg, 44x50, Taylor alley 1,300
Dempster A ex to Saml Markovitz, Apr 10, '02, Rankin, 40x80, Furnace st.. 16,375
Boynton Wm E ex to Jos S Adams, Apr 1, '02, 13 wd, Pgh, 60x75, Wylie ave 450
Mercantile Trust Co to Henry A Kunze, Mch 21, '02, Ben Avon 2,500
Roberts Wm H ex to Saml A Foster, Mch 26, '02, Bridgeville, 104x287, Chess st 5,500
Rossiter T Clifford ex to Wm Laughorst, Apr 4, '02, Baldwin twp, 50x142, Carrick ave 1,000
O'Donnell Cornelius to Edward J Loyd, Apr 11, '02, Edgewood, 85x184, Maple ave 850
Kemberlin Thos ex to James & Cain, Jan 25, '01, Allegheny, Taggart st.. 3,500
McK B & L A to Frank I Morrison, Jan 1, '01, McKeesp't, 27x57 4,500
Milligan Jno W to Jno M Glenn, May 1, '01, Swissvale, 25x115, Woodstock ave 450
Sherwood Robert to Wm H Hunter, Mch 28, '02, Mifflin twp, 84x100, Carter st 875
Sauer Fred C ex to Mary Coyle, Nov 3, '97, 13 wd, Pgh, Iowa st 500
Roberts Wm H ex to Saml A Foster, Mch 26, '02, Bridgeville, 66x125, Station st 2,500
McCoy J N ex to Wm Chapman, Apr 15, '02, Richland twp, 2 acres 500
Glenn Harvey ex to Eli A Sweeny, Jan 31, '02, 23 wd, Pgh, 60x65, Lytle st.. 1,100
Stratham Geo ex to Maud A O'Halloran, Apr 5, '02, McKees Rocks, 25x125, Frederick st 3,000
Nolte Nicholas ex to Anton Blatz, Mch 31, '02, 36 wd, Pgh, 25x150, Walnut st 1,700
Hall David E to Harvey S Noah, Sept 28, '01, Bellevue, 50x167, Rodgers ave 1,100
Semple Jas ex to same, Jan 20, '02, Avalon, 101x164, Center ave 1,025
Bakewell Thos W ex to Wm Yost, Apr 9, '02, 19 wd, Pgh, 140x90, Black st. 900
Knopp Chas F to Stella S Stafford, Apr 5, '02, 6 wd, Pgh, 20x135, Colfax st 16,088
Ewing Ira C ex to Ella Swartz, Feb 1, '02, 11 wd, Pgh, 24x104, Wylie ave.. 650
Stieni Christopher ex to Peter S Rafner, Mch 27, '02, 16 wd, Pgh, 20x100, Liberty ave 3,500
Ferry Mary A et al to Alex H Hunter, Mch 4, '02, Monfooth, 35x120, Liberty ave 2,800
Vaszey Wm ex to Schuylkill Impt Land Co, Mch 15, '02, 23 wd, Pgh, 24x118, Vespucius st 1,050
Franey Cath C ex to same, Mch 14, '02, 23 wd, Pgh, 90x101, Gloster st 1,850
Barker Wm H to same, Apr 4, '02, 23 wd, Pgh, 48x118, Vespucius st 3,200
Lozee Chas G to Oliver Iron & Steel Co, Mch 22, '02, Forward twp, lot 2,650

$50.00 California and Return

Via Chicago & Northwestern Railway from Chicago. Tickets sold April 20 to 27. Corresponding low rates from eastern points. For particulars write or call 507 Smithfield street, Pittsburgh.

THE 50-cent allotment of shares of the Mergenthaler-Horton Basket Machine Company closes Saturday, APRIL 19th, or earlier.

The price then advances to 60 cents a share (full paid and non-assessable).

Announcements of progress in the development of the Company's plans will be made immediately.

All who are prepared to subscribe for the shares of this Company are advised that the advance to 60 cents will be followed by other advances at short intervals, as the equipment work progresses.

Owing to the probability of over-subscription, the right is reserved to reject any subscription. The smallest subscription received is for fifty shares.

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NEARLY 500 FREIGHT RATES ARE REDUCED

Result of Three Weeks of Anti-Rebate Injunctions Is Lower Charges to All Alike.

In the three weeks since the injunctions against rebates were issued by Judge Grosscup at Chicago, nearly 500 notices of changes in rates have been filed with the chairman of the Western Freight association. Fully 95 per cent of these have been reductions. No rate higher than any in effect when the injunctions were issued has been made by any road. That the example will be followed by other lines farther east in case the interstate commerce commission succeeds in its bold attempt to force rate maintenance is not to be doubted. The reductions made now are practically what the larger shippers were receiving by means of rebates and allied schemes before the injunctions. Now small and large shippers alike are to share in the lower rates.

Railroad men say the reductions are due to the fact that absence of rebates make lower tariff charges possible. The earnings of railroads now that these rates are kept will be higher than under the higher rates with secret rebates, it is believed.

Fear of these reductions becoming too great from the increase of competition since the injunctions went into effect has been the cause of conferences among the railroad managements. There has been much protest in the past three years over the changes of classification, but so far there have been no changes back to the old classifications. This may be expected if the tendency to reduce continues, as the classification changes were merely forms of raising rates.

Second-Class Fares Go Glimmering.

For some unexplained reason, the action of the Trunk Line Passenger association in abolishing second-class fares between New York and Chicago has been kept secret, although this action was taken some time ago. The single-class fares go into effect on May 1. On and after that date the differential lines, the Erie, Lehigh Valley, Lackawanna, Ontario & Western and West Shore, will have $18 as the lowest rate they can make out of New York for Chicago. The standard lines will charge $20.

Announcement of this change of rates has made Chicago protest again against the excess fare charged on the fast trains making the New York-Chicago run in less than 28 hours. The run has been made by the Lake Shore in 20 hours, that being the schedule during the World's Fair on one train. It can be made by the Pennsylvania in 19 hours with a train lighter than the present Pennsylvania limited.

President Loree in Pittsburgh.

President L. F. Loree of the Baltimore & Ohio reached the city yesterday on his return to Baltimore headquarters after a month spent in Mexico. He was accompanied on his return by L. G. Haas, assistant to the general manager. Mr. Loree was met at Akron by Gen. Supt. W. R. Woodford and a conference was held on the train en route to this city. Mr. Loree spent the afternoon here and went on to Baltimore on the night train, No. 10. He is in excellent health after his trip. Its object was pleasure and rest. His companions in Mexico were Gen. Charles Miller of Franklin and President S. R. Calloway of the American Locomotive Company.

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E. A. FORD'S ANSWER TO OFFICE RULE CRITICS

General Passenger Agent of Pennsylvania Lines West Says Supt. Cushing's Order Is Just.

E. A. Ford, general passenger agent of the Pennsylvania lines west of Pittsburgh, takes exception to the comment upon a recent order that no one but representatives of the Pennsylvania lines shall be permitted to enter ticket offices. The order has been widely published as a blow at the system of traveling passenger agents generally. The notice is posted on the eastern division of the Ft. Wayne, and is signed by Supt. Cushing of that division. Mr. Ford says:

"It would seem that the notice referred to is simply a reprint of an old one—similar notices having been posted in the stations of the Pennsylvania lines west for ten years or more, but having become worn, and in some cases obliterated, Supt. Cushing printed and posted new ones, which would seem the proper thing to do.

"No injustice will be done anyone who has a right to enter the ticket offices."

Spring Suitings
In all the latest patterns.
PITCAIRN'S, 434 Wood Street.

has maintained its own standards—in style—in size, in shape and in quality, in spite of all the influences of "smart" looking boxes, bands and labels that attract the "easy" buyer. It's the tobacco you smoke after all—and the more you get for 5 cents (if the quality is right) the better for you.
Jackson Squares are "right."

STRIKING SHOE SPECIALS

Three drives for three days—Wednesday, Thursday and Friday—we will sell

900 Pairs Men's Patent Leather

Genuine Goodyear welt Lace Shoes—in the new Spring shapes and in all sizes—

$3.00 Grades For $2.18 a Pair

680 Pairs Women's Special Patent Leather, Goodyear welt
Oxfords regular $3.00 grade, for $2.35 a Pair.

450 Pairs Men's Patent Calf, Velour and Box Calf
Oxfords regular $3.50 grade, for $2.90 a Pair.

At the same time Women will find on our bargain tables 300 or more pairs Women's $2.00 Oxfords—marked to close out at $1.00 a Pair—

—At Both Stores—

W. M. LAIRD CO.

402 to 408 Market Street. 431 to 437 Smithfield Street.

It's easy to haul a big load up a big hill if you grease the wagon wheels with
SUCA Axle Grease
Get a box and learn why it's the best grease ever put on an axle. Sold everywhere. Made by STANDARD OIL CO.

Preserves
—fruits, jellies, pickles or catsup are more easily, more quickly, more healthfully sealed with Refined Paraffine Wax than by any other method. Dozens of other uses will be found for Refined Paraffine Wax in every household. It is clean, tasteless and odorless—air, water and mold proof. Get a pound cake of it with a list of its many uses from your druggist or grocer. Sold everywhere. Made by STANDARD OIL CO.

Dressing Sacques.
Offers that will appeal to every woman.

500 Women's nice Lawn "Kimona" Dressing Sacques—plain light and dark colored grounds—at..... 25c

Special lot of Women's fine Dimity or Gingham Dressing Sacques—dainty new designs—at..... 75c

Women's Long or Short "Kimonas" made of fine quality white or colored Lawns—in solid colors or fancy figures—at..... $1

Women's Long "Kimona" Robes—made of fine Crepon—in all new delicate shades—at..... $1.98

Conan Doyle's "Hound of the Baskervilles," 90c.

KAUFMANN'S
"THE BIG STORE"

Wash and Silk Petticoats.
New goods—new styles—priced remarkably low.

Women's fast black Mercerized Sateen Petticoats—new umbrella styles—at only..... 59c

Several new styles of Women's Wash Petticoats—also Mercerized Sateen Skirts—at..... 98c

Women's Silk Moreen and Mercerized Petticoats, with deep accordeon pleated flounce—all shades—at only..... $2.98

Women's Silk Petticoats—made of fine Taffeta Silk—accordeon pleated—extra dust flounces—at..... $4.98

A Millinery Sensation!
300 Doz. Bunches Flowers
At 50 Per Cent. Below the Usual Prices.

Samples, after having been used by the traveling salesmen in taking their orders, are of no further use to the manufacturers, who then dispose of them to their largest customers at a mere fraction of their value. The 300 dozen Bunches of Flowers mentioned above are the samples of New York's largest Flower importer and manufacturer. They consist of American Beauty Roses, Foliage, Forget-Me-Nots, Bluets, Wreath Poppies, Fruits of all descriptions, etc., etc.—making the most lovely and attractive display of Floral beauties for Hat Trimmings you ever laid eyes on, and the prices only

15c, 25c & 49c per bunch. To facilitate quick selections the goods will be found on sale in the Flower Booth, first floor, as well as in the Millinery Department, third floor.

Bunch of 6 Black Silk Roses, 35c

Flower Wreaths—25 cartons of Flower Wreaths of dainty Apple Blossoms, Daisies, etc.—quite the thing for trimming Leghorn Hats, Flats, etc.—worth 50c—at only..... 23c

Flower Wreaths—Splendid assortment of Rose Wreaths, Wild Flower Wreaths, Delicate Lily of the Valley Wreaths and those Rich Poppy Wreaths—worth $1—at only..... 69c

Women's Dress Shapes—Hand-made over wire frames—Chiffon and Braid Crown, with lace draping—Also Silk Mull and Braid Crown—the same as sold elsewhere at $1.25—here at..... 73c

Women's Dress Shapes—made of natural Cuban Braid—in all the most popular and becoming shapes—worth $1.25—at only..... 89c

A Most Fortunate Purchase!
500 Sample Pieces of Laces
Bought at Practically Our Own Price.

It makes no difference whatever to you whether the Lace you buy is a Sample Piece or not, providing it's just what you want—but it does to the manufacturer; hence the big price concessions Manufacturers and Importers make in disposing of their lines of Samples. Our wide-awake Lace Buyer is always on the alert for underprice purchases, and his good luck is always your good luck. The above purchase, a case in point.

On Sale Today
In These 3 Big Lots:

Lot I—Comprising all the pretty Laces worth 10c and 15c yd.—choice for..... 5c Yd

Lot II—Consisting of the dainty and popular Laces regularly sold for 20c and 25c—now at..... 10c Yd

Lot III—Embracing the choicest and finest Laces—should bring 30c and 35c yd.—at only..... 15c Yd

Here Is the Assortment: Pretty Normandy Val. Laces and Insertings, 2 to 6 inches wide—Fine Point Venise Lace Bands—Black Chantilly Bands—Pretty Torchon Laces—Black Chantilly Edges and Flouncings—Dainty Net Top Oriental Laces with heavy Venise edges—in fact all kinds of Laces for Trimming, all kinds of Laces for Underwear, all kinds of Laces for Millinery Purposes, etc., etc. Take your choice, as above, at 5c, 10c and 15c the yd.

☞ Some of the above goods are slightly soiled—very slightly, indeed—but you'll not mind that when you see how lovely and cheap they are.

Another Shoe Deal!
300 Pairs Women's $3 High and Low Cut Shoes

Captured at such a low figure that we can offer choice at only $1.95

These Shoes were made for one of the largest $3 shoe stores of New York city, but the order was canceled on account of late delivery. They come in French Patent Leather and Vici Kid—both high and low cuts—turn and welt extension soles—Cuban and military heels—all sizes, at $1.95 the pair.

Today's Grocery List
Presents many unusually good chances for economical housewives.

TOMATOES—"Rob Roy" brand best solid packed Jersey fruit—$1.35 doz. cans, or per can..... 12c
PEAS—"Oakland" brand best Early June Peas—80c doz. cans, or per can..... 7c
BEANS—"Luxury" brand best Lima Beans—$1.00 doz. cans, or per can..... 10c
BEANS—"Torey Park" brand extra fine White Wax Beans—90c doz. cans, or per can..... 8c
HAMS—"Gold Band" brand best Sugar-Cured Hams—per lb..... 14c
PRUNES—Honey Cured Prunes (need no sugar)—5 lbs for..... 25c
BUTTER—"Sterling" brand—the best creamery butter made—per lb..... 30c
OLIVES—Best selected large Queen Olives, per quart..... 30c
OLIVES—Extra fine Manzanilla Olives—per quart..... 20c
APPLE BUTTER—Lippincott and Cree's best and absolutely pure Apple Butter..... 5 lb. crocks 45c
SALMON—"Keystone" brand Columbia River Steak Salmon—1 lb. flat cans, 17c, or $1.90 dozen cans. The ½ lb. cans $1.10 dozen, or per can..... 10c
FLOUR—"Pillsbury's XXXX" best Flour—¼ bbl at..... ⅛ sack 55c
LARD—Fairbank's "Boar's Head" brand Lard—10-lb. cans at $1. The 5-lb. cans at 50c. The 3-lb. cans..... 33c
COTTOLENE—Fairbank's Cottolene—4-lb. cans..... 2 cans 22c

The Sale of Schafran Bros.' Stock of Boys' Clothing Grows Greater
With each day—the inducements become better and better—the crowds become bigger and bigger. If you want to "rig out" two Boys for the usual price of one, you'll need no urging to be on hand today.

Boys' $2 and $3 All-Wool Suits
At Only $1.25
Garments that not only look well, but which will wear well. Among them may be found stylish Norfolk and Double-Breasted Suits—made of strictly dependable All-Wool Blue and Fancy Cheviots—Also those popular Blue Sailor Suits—positively the same identical qualities offered elsewhere for $2 and $3—take your pick today at the remarkably low price of $1.25.

Boys' $3, $4 and $5 Suits and Top Coats
At Only $2.50
If you want truly fine and fashionable clothing, take advantage of this offer—300 styles to choose from—including nobby All-Wool Blue Serge Single-Breasted, Double-Breasted, Norfolk, Sailor and Russian Blouse Suits; also richly trimmed Sailor, Vest, Straight or Round Cut Norfolk Suits, in Flannel, Homespun, Cheviot, Striped Worsted, Cassimere, Fancy Tweed, etc.—Also 2 and 3-piece Suits—all sizes, 2 1-2 to 16—choice at $2.50.

Boys' $6, $6.50 and $7 Suits and Top Coats
At Only $3.90
This remarkable offer gives you choice from elegant blue or black Clay Worsted and Basket Weave 3-Piece Confirmation Suits—fine Serge Sailor Suits—nobbiest Russian Blouse Suits—latest Single and Double-Breasted and Norfolk Suits—Also fine silk-lined Top Coats and regulation Blue Serge or Cheviot Reefers—all sizes, 2½ to 16—at $3.90.

Youths' $8.50 and $10 Suits and Top Coats
At Only $4.85
Stylish garments for stylish dressers. The assortment includes fine 16-ounce Blue or Black Clay Worsted and 12-ounce Blue Serge Long Pants Suits—carefully made in the latest styles—Also splendid line of New Tan Top Coats—all sizes 13 to 20—Choice today at $4.85.

Boys' Dress Pants—Large counter full of Boys' fine Dress Pants—made of Serges and other fine materials—lined all through—patterns and colorings to match any Suit—all made with belt straps—sizes 3 to 16—at only..... 65c

Thousands of Boys' New Wash Suits—the largest line ever collected under one roof. The exclusive agency for the famous "Regatta" Suits. Prices range from $5 for exquisite Russian Blouse and Sailor Suits down to the cute blue and red Kilt Suits, at..... 48c

Boys' Confirmation Suits—Made of elegant imported Blue or black Clay Worsted, etc.—latest 3-piece styles—also silk lined or silk faced Tuxedo Dress Suits—Choice for only..... $7.50